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Descendants of Griffith and Ann John through 8th, 9th & 10th Generations
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Kamp

367. Eleanor 1922-
 M. Richard W. Capen

John

368. Hazel 1917-
 M. Carl Herron
 369. Roland 1821
 M. Gladys Holmes

Borton

370. Ruth 1918 —————
 M. Harold Stoffer

Stoffer

473. Terral 1941-
 M. Betty Allshouse

Leggett

371. Esther 1923-
 M. Walter Campbell
 M. Chet Lucas
 372. John 1935-
 M. Sondra Leyda

Cooper

373. James 1909-
 M. Bertha Hall
 374. Thomas 1911-
 M. Mildred Stanley

Jones

375. Martha 1907-
 M. William Celke
 376. Esther 1909-
 M. Oswald Jensen
 377. Elizabeth 1916-
 M. James O'Donnell
 378. Charles 1915- —————
 M. Carol Kisner
 379. Ruth 1916-
 M. John Newlin
 380. Elinor 1922-
 M. Darwin Cloe

Jones

474. Saralee 1940-
 M. Charles Graham
 475. William 1942-
 M. Judy Gawronski
 476. John 1947-
 M. Patricia Camp

Bearce

381. Raymond 1918-
 M. Alice Borders
 382. Dorrine 1921
 M. John Koch
 383. Shirley 1924-
 M. Arlene Eberbe

Pellett

384. Hazel 1924-
 M. R. Shoemaker

Martin

385. Lilly 1926-
 M. Woody Williams
 386. Ina 1928-
 M. Wesley Whittenbury

Kennedy

387. Charles 1913-1972 —————
 M. Beulah Thorton

Kennedy

477. William 1932-
 M. Barbara David
 478. Patricia 1935-
 M. Raymond Schuknecht

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Lamb

388. Carolyn 1933-
 M. Gordon Crawford

Sandmire

389. James 1920-
 M. Mamie Schumaber
 M. Joan Kannenberg
390. Janet 1931
 M. Kenneth Frost
391. Herbert 1929 ————— { Sandmire
 M. Crystal Armsworth 479. David 1963-
 M. Beth Weir
392. LaVaughn 1935-
 M. Sharon Weikert

Van Orman

393. Ellsworth 1913-
 M. Mary Chandler

Rishel

394. Jean 1927-
 M. Roland Parsons

Flynn

395. Meda 1894-1957
 Willis Younker

Johns

396. Esther 1906-
 M. Martin Edmunds

John

397. Thelma 1911-1977
 M. Asa C. Shermer
398. Kathryn 1896-
 M. Walter Michael
399. Ambrose 1900-1935
 M. Marion Shum
400. Purcell 1903-
 M. Mary Terwillinger
401. Miriam 1897-1966 ————— { Dumm
 M. Franklin Dumm 480. Franklin, Jr. 1918-
 M. Anna Miller
402. Doris 1905 -
 M. Nicholas Martrosi
403. Walter 1908 -
 M. June Henry
 M. Chong Mali
404. George 1909- ————— { John
 M. Kathryn Bolbaugh 481. Jerome 1940-
 M. Nguyen Thi Nam
405. Maurice 1911-
 M. Marion Linde 482. Kathleen 1943-
 M. Edward Moore, Jr.
406. Arthur 1913-
 M. Beryl Schaum 483. Janet 1949-
 M. Joseph Korowjezyk
 M. Donald Kipp
407. George 1903-1983 ————— {
 M. Mary Houghton 484. Paul 1938-
 M. Mildred Diebler

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Smith

408. Emily 1913-
 M. Williard Sweeney
409. Kathryn 1920-
 M. Norman Day

Sweeney

485. Sharon 1941-
 M. John Faulkner

John

410. E. Lorraine 1920-
 M. Joseph Blell
 M. James Jenkyns

411. Helen 1916-
 M. Willis Porter
 M. Elliot Oakwood

412. Shirley 1920 -
 M. William Daily

413. Marijane 1921
 M. Win Zerphey

Zerphey

486. Cynthia 1950-
 M. Dennis Zimmerman
487. Karen 1952-
488. John 1957-
 M. Patricia Holly

John

414. Walton 1925-
 M. Barbara Millard

489. Bert 1948-
 M. Penny Post
 M. Staci Morinchin
490. Barbara R. 1951-
 M. William McEvoy

Gable

415. Laura 1914-
 M. William Guthier

Guthier

491. William, Jr. 1938-
 M. Marie Cwickla
492. Beverly 1940-
 M. John Kileen
493. Linda 1952
 M. Jack Breish
 M. Russell Yowell

Eyer

416. George 1898-
 M. Catherine Stably
417. Katherine 1899
 M. Hobson Wagner
418. Alice 1903-
 M. Ralph White

Trager

419. Helma 1909-1982
 M. Aleander Kornish

Levy

420. Gertrude 1917-
 M. Elwood Barr
421. Reina 1920-
 M. Richard Rights
 M. Patrick Murray

Ruth

422. Wenona 1908-1974
 M. Ben Weiss
423. John 1911-1979
 M. Phyliss Lane
424. Reina 1914-1980
 M. Harry Christianson
425. Smedley 1931-
 M. Rose Molina

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Herskovits

426. Bernat 1914-
 M. Phillis Hiddlestone
 427. Theodore 1923-
 M. Jane Steen

Cloud

428. Jane 1918-
 M. Theodore Graban
 429. Jean 1928-
 M. Vito Leone

Eves

430. Gertrude 1918-
 M. Donald Stowe

Deemer

431. Walter 1908-
 M. Bertha Zimmerman
 432. John 1920-
 M. Katherine ??
 433. Seavey 1913-1983
 M. Elva Schultz

Deemer

494. Henry 1948-
 P. Diane Scholl
 495. Geraldine 1940-
 M. Fredrick Dodds

Hilyard

434. Merritt 1894-1970
 Edith Mitcheltree
 435. M. Ray 1899-1986
 M. Lillian Gardner

Hilyard

496. Dwanda 1918-
 M. Michael Pedone
 497. Barbara 1924-
 M. Charles Rees
 498. Lois 1939-
 M. Pasquale Fiello

Pedone

501. Anthony 1945-
 M. Marsha Hoodin

Askins

436. Jessie 1894-1981
 M. Roy Cordell
 437. Stuart 1898-1969
 M. Mamie Snow

Good

438. Esther 1902 - 1974
 M. Jesse Sharp

John

439. Richard 1906-1965
 M. Norma Counts

John

499. Marjorie 1930-
 M. Ralph Bowersock
 M. Joseph Pace

Gaul

440. Martha 1913-1990
 M. Durward Setty

Jones

441. Juanita 1916-
 M. Carl Musselman

John

442. Arthur 1910-1985
 M. Madalene Kimble
 443. Beverly 1918-
 M. John Griffin
 M. Gus Schutte

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John

- 444. Judith 1920-1962
M. Vernon Begor
- 445. Dorathy 1930-
M. Richard Sullivan
- 446. F. Ray 1916-
M. Emaline Haller
- 447. George 1920-1983
M. Gloria Andrews
- 448. William 1939-
M. Sandra Kinninger
- 449. James 1940-
M. Marlos Shephard

Blosser

- 450. Francis 1907-
M. Lucilla Rasor
- 451. Eugene 1911
M. Mary Zerkel

Blosser

- 500. Mary J.
M. Eugene Hoffman

Rumbaugh

- 452. Marjory 1920-
M. Eric Commes

Barnt

- 453. Kathryn 1914-
M. J. Chester Knous

Good

- 454. Esther 1909-
M. Ralph Diller
- 455. Harold 1913-
M. Clara Diller
- 456. Ezra 1914-
M. Vida King

Barnt

- 457. Richard 1921-1975
M. Louise Pavel

Ellis

- 458. Virginia 1914-
M. William Franta

Lyons

- 459. Ruth 1918-
M. Lloyd Hunt
- 460. Doris 1922-
M.C.J. Geldersma

John

- 461. Roger 1923-
M. Lorraine Azer
- 462. Maurice, Jr. 1929-
M. Patricia Shepard
- 463. David 1938-1963
M. Fern Hallmark

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Smith

464. Elunn 1926-
M. Anna Judd
465. Donald 1929-
M. Marian Meisil

Jessup

466. Joyce 1939-
M. Calvin Powell

Holman

467. Beverly 1929-
M. John Oswald
468. Judith 1945-
M. Randy Sorenson

Baer

469. Lowell 1912-
M. Dorothy Musgrave
470. Valera 1920-1984
M. Earl Mellott

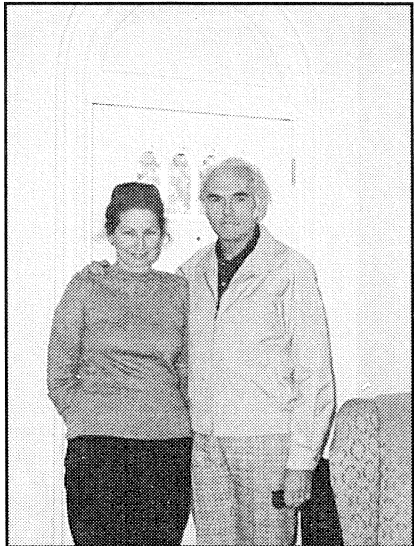
John

471. Helen 1929-
M. Charles Allers

Snook

472. Betty 1922
M. John Mahoney

#367. Eleanor, d/o Hans L. and Grace (Moore) Kamp, (253), was b. 28 Dec., 1922 in Pleasanton, Calif. She m. Richard Winslow Capen 27 Oct., 1946 in Riverside Co., Calif. Dick, s/o Edward Winslow and Pansy (Brown) Capen, was b. 8 May, 1920 in Boston, Mass. They had 4 issue: Linda, Brenda, Marsha, and Thomas W.



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LINDA b/ 23 Aug., 1948 and m. Charles Kremers 18 Dec., 1971. Charles b. 6 Nov., 1950 in Grand Rapids, Mich. They had 2 issue: Todd and Matthew.

BRENDA b. 23 Aug., 1948 and d. 3 Sept., 1948.

MARSHA b. 13 May, 1951 and m. 24 Oct., 1973 to Don Andrew Ross, who was b. 24 June, 1973 in Calif. They have 1 issue: Toby Jonathan.

THOMAS WINSLOW b. 2 Jan., 1953. He m. 8 Nov., 1980 to Lauren Miklas who was b. 6 July, 1955. They had 1 issue Brian Winslow b. 31 July, 1982. Tom and Lauren div. S&R: Eleanor R. Capen.

#368. Hazel Mae, d/o Leroy and Elizabeth (MeSell) John (254), was b. 25 June, 1917. She m. 14 Sept., 1941 to Carl Emanuel Herron, who was b. 7 Nov., 1911. They had 4 issue: Wayne L., David E., Glen E., and Linda M.

WAYNE LEROY b. 20 Nov., 1942 and m. 24 June, 1962 to Betty Weaver. They had a dau. Cynthia Lou b. 17 Oct., 1963.

DAVID EMANUEL b. 10 Sept., 1947.

GLEN EDWARD b. 3 July, 1949.

LINDA MAE b. 29 June, 1951.

S&R: Sondra Leggett; Terral Stoffer.

#369. Roland Leroy, s/o Leroy and Elizabeth (MeSell) John (254), was b. 4 Mar., 1920. He m. 25 July, 1941 to Gladys Holmes who was b. 4 May, 1923. They had 5 issue: Robert A., Carol E., Richard L., Lorean E., and Sandra.

ROBERT ALLEN b. 25 Sept., 1942 and m. 6 Jan., 1963 to Carol Bailey.

CAROL ELAINE b. 12 Feb., 1944 and m. 15 July, 1962 to Larry D. Messer.

RICHARD LEE b. 2 Sept., 1949.

LOREAN ELIZABETH b. 7 Dec., 1955.

SONDRA b. 16 Aug., 1963.

S&R: Sondra Leggett.

#370. Ruth Ann, d/o Mark and Ethel (Marlnee) Borton (255), was b. 19 Sept., 1918 in Knox Twp., Columbianna Co., Ohio. She m. 10 June, 1939 to Harold Walter Stoffer. Harold, s/o Walter George and Odessa Mae (Weaver) Stoffer, was b. 28 Sept., 1914 and d. of cancer 29 Aug., 1979 and is buried Highland Memorial Cem., Masonic Section, Beloit, Ohio. Harold was active in the Middle Sandy Presbyterian Church and was an elder and song leader for over 25 years. Ruth was active in the Ladies' organizations and also a trustee. Both worked for the West Branch Schools where Harold was a bus driver and Ruth was a cook, serving as head cook for the district. Harold also worked for Homeworth Supply Co., Mahoning Valley Dairy, Salem Hardware, and McQuilken Lumber Co. Ruth was member of Homeworth Chapter of Easter Star #533, Worthy Matron in 1984. Harold a member of Homeworth Lodge #499. They had 1 son, Terral Lee (473). S&R: Terral L. Stoffer.

#371. Esther May, d/o Henry H. and Myrtle (John Stoffer) Leggett (257), was b. 25 May, 1923 in New Harrisburg, Ohio. She m. 20 Aug., 1940 to Walter Campbell. They had 4 issue: Mary Ellen, Charles, Dorothy Jean, and Walter, Jr. No dates or facts known. Esther and Walter div. Esther m. 28 Aug., 1947 to Walter Trussell who d. Sept., 1964. They had to have divorced, as Esther m. Chet Lucas 8 June, 1963. They had a dau. Jackie. Esther m. a 4th time on 16 Dec., 1979 to Robert Nichols.

S&R: Sondra Leggett.

#372. John C. s/o Henry H. and Myrtle (John Stoffer) Leggett, (257), was b. 10 June, 1935 outside Waynesburg, Ohio. John was in the USAF June, 1954 to June 1980 and retd. as Master Sgt. He m. 17 June, 1955 to Sondra Ann Leyda. They had 5 issue: Robin L., Michael J., Timlie S., Stacy D., and Christopher.

ROBIN LYNN b. 31 Dec., 1955 and m. 19 Dec., 1975 to Jay Williams. Jay, s/o Dave and Margaret (Pickerell) Williams was b. 27 Apr., 1953. He works for Boeing Aircraft as-a carpenter. They had 2 issue: Jayson R. and Heather Reneé, both b. Wichita, Kan.

(I) Jayson Ryan b. 13 Dec., 1979.

(II) Heather Reneé b. 19 June, 1980. Jay's birth name was Pickerell. When Dave m. Jay's Mother, he adopted Jay.

MICHAEL JOHN b. 18 Aug., 1957. He attended and graduated from the U.S. Air Force Academy 1975-1979. In 1987 he was a Capt. in Air Force, stationed in Germany. Mike m. Wendy Jones, who was b. 12 May, 1960. They had a dau. Christine Louise b. 24 Sept., 1985 in Calif.

TIMLIE SUZAI b. 9 June, 1962. She m. 4 May, 1982 to Robert Reis, Jr. "Bo" as he is called, joined the Air Force in Mar., 1985. They have a dau. Cassandre Leeann b. 23 Nov., 1983 in Albuquerque, N.M.

STACY DIANNE b. 14 Jan., 1965.

CHRISTOPHER b. 31 Jan. 1972.

S&R: Sondra Leggett.

#373. James R., s/o Walter and Anna (Blackburn) Cooper, (260), was b. 27 July, 1909. He m. 23 Aug., 1936 to Bertha Millicent Hall, who was b. 11 Nov., 1908. They had 4 issue: Anna M., Oliver J., Lucile R., Janet M.

ANNA MAE b. 4 Nov., 1937 and m. 7 Mar., 1964 to David Sutterley, who was b. 28 June, 1935 and d. 24 July, 1979. They had 2 issue: Patricia Ann b. 27 July, 1964 and James David b. 17 Nov. 1974.

OLIVER JAMES b. 14 July, 1941 and m. 18 June, 1966 to Gretchen Oswald, who was b. 2 Dec., 1941. they had a dau. Rebecca b. 12 Nov., 1971.

LUCILE RUTH b. 28 Apr., 1943 and m. 19 June, 1965 to Klaus Bauer, who was b. 7 Dec., 1941. They had 2 issue: Kristine b. 24 Mar., 1970 and Kurt b. 29 Apr., 1974.

JANET MARIE b. 31 Jan., 1946 and m. 29 June, 1968 to Edgar Teets, who was b. 30 Jan., 1947. They had 3 issue: Raymond b. 20 Feb., 1973, Amy Laurel b. 19 July, 1978, and Daniel James b. 8 June, 1980.

S&R: Sally Graham.

#374. Thomas, s/o Walter and Anna (Blackburn) Cooper (260), was b. 15 Jan. 1911. He m. 23 Mar., 1937 to Mildred E. Stanley, who was b. 16 Mar., 1915. They had 4 issue: Walter F., Dorothy E., Harold R., and Jay T.

WALTER F. b. 19 May, 1938 and m. 2 Jan., 1960 to Marlene E. Thomas, who was b. 26 May, 1940. They had 2 issue: Wynn A. b. 3 Feb., 1962 and Brenda A. b. 27 Sept., 1963.

DOROTHY E. b. 3 Apr., 1941 and m. 17 June, 1962 to Dan Morris, who was b. 14 May, 1935. They had 2 issue: Michael D. b. 8 Dec., 1969 and Michelle D. b. 7 Apr., 1967.

HAROLD R. b. 8 Jan., 1946 and m. 25 Aug., 1965 to Alice V. Hughes, who was b. 26 Jan. 1947. They had 2 issue: Nicole R. b. 20 Aug., 1970 and Kimberly L. b. 19 Dec., 1979.

JAY T. b. 11 June, 1957 and m. 16 Feb., 1980 to Donna L. White. NKI.

S&R: Sally Graham.

#375. Martha Blackburn, d/o Howard and Jessie (Blackburn) Jones, (261) was b. 31 Oct., 1907 in Atlantic City, N.J. She m. 2 Sept., 1930 to William C. Oelke. William, s/o William J. and Mary A. Oelke, was b. 11 Oct., 1906 and d. 10 June, 1988. He was a Professor of Chemistry Grinnell College 1931-1973. William had a PhD from the U. of Iowa 1935. He had Distinguished Fellow Award Iowa Academy of Science 1975. He loved building things-furniture and a boat. Played the accordion. They traveled and camped-had a 1964 Ford Econoline and traveled Alaska to Key West-also 3 months in Europe. They were both active in the United Church of Christ Congregational. They had 3 issue: Mary E., Nancy A., William H.

MARY ELIZABETH b. 12 Oct., 1934. She m. 17 Mar., 1957 to Dorsey W. Holt. Dorsey, s/o Donald and Elizabeth Holt, was b. 8 Feb., 1933. He was in the U.S. Army 1956 to 1967. From 1967 to 1992 he was a pilot. They had 5 issue: Mark W., Jeffrey W., Nicholas W., Tammara M., and Jenny C.

(I) Mark Worthington b. 28 Aug., 1958 and m. a lady named Julie in Dallas, Texas. They live in Boulder, Colo.

(II) Jeffrey Woodward b. 11 July, 1960 and married a lady named Barbara. They live in Tacoma, Wash. Have a dau. Jessica b. 15 Aug., 1985.

(III) Nicholas William b. 28 Dec., 1963 and m. a Lady named Karen. They live in Elmira, N.Y.

(IV) Tammara Moore b. 20 May 1964. She is not married-makes her home in Denver, Colo., She had a baby, Candace Moore.

(V) Jenny Cobern b. 14 Oct., 1966.

NANCY ANN b. 31 May, 1938 and m. 19 June, 1960 in Grinnell, Iowa to Daniel J. Hillman. Dan, s/o Elmer and Teena Hillman, was b. 9 Dec., 1938. He teaches anatomy in a Veterinary College. They had 2 issue: Pamela M. and Christopher M. Both b. Baton Rouge, La.

(I) Pamela Marie b. 17 Aug., 1961 and m. 30 June, 1984 to John A. Parker.

(II) Christopher Martin b. 7 Feb., 1971 and d. Aug., 1971. William Howard b. 3 Jan., 1943. He was in the US Army 1961-1964, William works at the Mayo Clinic. He m. 27 Nov., 1967 to Linda Lovett who was b. 15 Dec., 1947. She also works at the Mayo Clinic. They had a son William Matthew b. 29 Aug., 1980.

S&R: Sally Graham; Martha Oelke.

#376. Esther Fowler, d/o Howard and Jessie (Blackburn) Jones, (261), was b. 8 June, 1909 in Atlantic City, N.J.; She m. 12 Mar., 1930 to Oswald Emmanuel Jensen. Oswald, s/o Christian and Jensina (Eriksen), was b. 10 Feb., 1901 in Denmark. He was a farmer. He d. 6 Oct., 1972. They had 2 issue: Dwight E., and Virginia R.

DWIGHT EMMANUEL b. 4 Dec., 1930 in West Branch, Iowa. He is asst. to a Dean at the U. of Iowa. Dwight m. 11 Sept., 1954 to Patricia Heefner. Patricia, d/o Malcolm and Ethel Heefner, was b. 12 Oct., 1932. They had 3 issue: Kimberly A., Julia L., and Dirk C.

(I) Kimberly Ann b. 4 Nov. 1955. She is a Probation and Parole Officer in the Northern District of Va.

(II) Julia Leigh b. 5 Apr., 1958 in Des Moines, Iowa. and m. William Otto Schwarz, who was b. 27 Mar., 1942. He was the s/o Otto William and Delores Schwarz. He is a defense contract consultant. William served in the Marines. They had 2 issues Elizabeth A. b. 2 Nov., 1987 and Margaret Julia b. 22 Aug., 1989.

(III) Dirk Christian b. 12 Mar., 1960 in Des Moines. He m. 13 June, 1987 to Annette Lynn Morfitt, who was b. 29 Sept., 1964. She is an RN. Dirk is a Deputy Sheriff. They had a son Samuel C. b. 6 Jan., 1989.

VIRGINIA RUTH b. 27 Dec., 1934 in Iowa City, Iowa. She m. 6 Sept., 1953 to Earl Gritton. Earl, s/o Gale and Lena (Miller) Gritton, was b. 26 Sept., 1933. He is a Professor of Agronomics at the Wisc. U. Earl was in the US Army 1954-1956. They had 3 issue: Allison K., Scott T., and Bruce W.

(I) Allison Kay b. 21 July, 1959 and m. 12 Aug., 1978 to Don Wilson. Div. She m. 18 Oct., 1986 to James Herbert Bell who was b. 11 Apr., 1938. James is an Architect and Allison is a Commercial Artist. They had an adopted son Justin Gritton-Bell b. 30 June, 1988.

(II) Scott Thomas b. 21 Oct., 1960 and m. 24 July, 1982 to Mary Koch, who was b. 24 Jan. 1963. Scott is a carpenter and woodworker. They had 2 issue: Ashley Marie b. 21 Dec., 1984 and Austin Thomas b. 11 Mar., 1987.

(III) Bruce Wayne b. 5 Mar., 1964 in Raleigh, N.C. and m. 20 July, 1985 to Diane Murphy, who was b. 25 Aug., 1965. Bruce in the US Navy. They live in Long Beach, Calif.

S&R: Sally Graham.

#377. Elizabeth Leeds, d/o Howard and Jessie (Blackburn) Jones (261), was b. 25 June, 1913 in West Branch, Iowa. She m. 24 May, 1937 to James Lawrence O'Donnell. James, s/o Walter and Frances (Malloy) O'Donnell, was b. 26 May, 1915 in Lincoln, Neb. and d. 7 May, 1970 in Des Moines, Iowa. He owned and operated a food store until 1977 when he retired. They had 3 issue: Kathryn J., Martin J., and James L. Jr.

KATHRYN JANE b. 2 Oct., 1939. She never married. Lives in Claremont, Calif. and is a Music (vocal) Professor at Scripps College in Claremont.

MARTIN JAMES b. 8 July, 1946 in Iowa Falls, Iowa. He is a Chemistry Professor at the U. of Ind. at Indianapolis. He m. 18 Aug., 1972 to Kitty Lee Woods. Kitty, d/o Luther and Kitty (Scott) Woods, was b. 2 July, 1946 in Huntington, W.Va. They had 3 issue: Patrick Woods, b. 9 July, 1976.

Michael James b. 11 May, 1979. Kathleen Scott b. 26 Aug., -1986. James Lawrence, Jr. b. 19 Dec., 1950. He is Chief Pediatrician at the Kaiser Permanent Hospital and Clinic in Redwood City, Calif. He lives in San Francisco. Never Married.

S&R: Sally Graham; Betty J. O'Donnell

#378. Charles Robert, s/o Howard and Jessie (Blackburn) Jones, (261), was b. 22 Feb., 1915 in a farm outside of West Branch, Iowa. He was an engineer in the US Army. Robert, as he was called, m. 1940 to Carol Jean Kisner. Carol, d/o Rueben and Ruth(Kisner) Kisner, was b. 26 Nov., 1918 in Salibury, Pa.

Robert was raised in the Society of Friends as were most of his ancestors. He went to Scattergood Friends School. His last 2 yrs. of school were in the east at Westtown Friends School in Westtown, Pa. He and Carol resided in Bucks Co., Pa. until Bob entered the war. Jean and her 2 children were sent to Iowa while Bob was an army engineer in Germany to help rebuild the railroads and bridges for the allied troops. When he came home they settled permanently in Bucks Co. near Jean's family. Over the years Bob's jobs never strayed far from his farming background-he was a loan officer for the Farmer's Production Credit Association and the Federal Land Bank, a salesman for Hubbard Hatcheries (they sold baby chicks to the many chicken farms throughout the northeast), maintenance manager for the Bucks Co. Park System, and then moved to Valley Springs, Ark. to run a small country store with Jean until retirement. In 1991 they lived in Shreveport, La.

Carol was the youngest dau. in her family. Like Bob, her people were all Quakers. she was graduated from New Hope School. After the war was over and they had settled in Bucks Co., she had several jobs. She was a night operator for several years and then took a job as postal clerk in the post office in Buckingham, Pa. They had 3 issue: Saralee(474), William N. (.475), and John K. (476).

S&R: Sally Graham.

#379. Ruth Leeds, d/o Howard and Jessie (Blackburn) Jones,(261), was b. 30 May, 1916 in West Branch, Iowa. She m. 10 Oct., 1938 to John Edward Newlin. John, s/o Roy L. and Edith Sara Newlin, was b. 5 July, 1915 in Earlham, Iowa. He worked at Physical Laboratory at Firestone. They lived in Johnston, Iowa while raising their family, then when John retired they moved to Ark. They are Presbyterians. John and Ruth had 2 issue: Jean M. and Larry.

JEAN MARIE b. 24 Apr., 1943 and m. 25 Nov., 1962 to John Sukow, who is a farmer. they had 2-issue: James Wayne and John, Jr.

(I) James Wayne b. 1 Jan., 1968 and m. 12 Aug., 1989 to Holly Berg.

(II) John, Jr. b. 4 May, 1965. He has a dau. Ashley, b. 24 July, 1990 in Des Moines, but her Mother's name not given. Jean and John div. On 24 Dec., 1969 Jean m. Lloyd Crabbe.

LARRY b. 12 Feb., 1947 and d. 8 Aug., 1970. He spent 4 yrs in the Navy. He m. 3 Nov., 1966 to Dolores Holseid. Dolores, d/o Clifford and Hazel Holseid, was b. 2 May, 1950. They had 2 issue: Rebecca L. and Monica.

(I) Rebecca Lynn b. 9 Sept., 1966 and m. 8 June, 1989 to Eric Stewart. Eric was b. in Canada. He is an Applesauce Salesman. Live Des Moines.

(II) Monica b. 30 Apr., 1970. She is in insurance-lives in Des Moines.

S&R: Sally Graham; Ruth Newlin.

#380. Elinor Freda, d/o Howard and Jessie (Blackburn) Jones (261), was b. 16 July, 1922 in West Branch, Iowa. She m. Darwin Erwin Cloe. Darwin, s/o Howard A. and Hazel (Heddlebaugh) Cloe, was b. 13 Apr., 1921. He was a Pharamist. They had 5 issue: Gary, Lynn K., Karen L., Wendy S., and Paula A. All b. Davenport, Iowa.

GARY b. 30 Mar., 1951 and m. 26 Apr., 1975 to Candy Owen. Div. He m. 17 Feb., 1984 to Jane Stubbs. Jane, d/o Albert and Agatha Witburn. Jane had 2 issue by a previous marriage. Gary is Team Leader of labor at Oscar Meyer.

LYNN KAY b. 29 Dec., 1952 and m. 1 May, 1977 to William Day who d. 25 Oct., 1985. Lynn lives in Davenport.

KAREN LOUISE b. 11 Dec., 1954 and m. 14 Feb., 1974 to Frederick Wassell. This marriage ended in div. Karen m. 11 Sept., 1978 to Michael Zelski. Michael, s/o Stanislaw and Karen Zelski, was b. 27 Dec., 1953 in Mass. He is a Bank Loan Officer. They had 2 issue: Jennifer Nichole b. 7 Apr., 1979, and Tiffany Michelle b. 21 Mar., 1982. They live in Clear Water, Fla. Karen was in the US Air Force when she met Michael. Wendy Sue b. 6 Feb., 1957 and m. David Alle - Wendy retained her maiden name.

PAULA ANN b. 8 Apr., 1961 and m. 13 Apr., 1985 to Edward Post. Edward, s/o John and Rita Post, was b. 13 Mar., 1961. They have 2 issue: Riley Aaron b. 9 Aug., 1987, and Collin Edward b. 20 Mar., 1990.

S&R: Sally Graham; Elinor Cloe.

#381. Raymond Robert, s/o Ralph and Cornelia (Pellett) Bearce (264), was b. 20 Nov., 1918 in Garland, Mo. He m. 20 Sept., 1940 to Alice Borders who was b. 30 Apr., 1921, the d/o Walter and Ettie Rose (Lyord) Borders. They had 4 issue: Beatrice C., Robert W., Janet M., and Paul R.

BEATRICE CORNELIA b. 5 Oct., 1942 in St. Louis, Mo. and m. 6 June, 1964 to Jesse "Jay" Shelton who was b. 15 Dec., 1931. They had 2 issue: Kevin Lee b. 17 June, 1965, and Shelly Kay b. 1 Sept., 1967. Both born in Kansas City, Mo.

ROBERT WALTER b. 18 Jan., 1944 in Marshall, Mo. and m. 6 May, 1961 to Bonnie Bell who was b. 5 Sept., 1947. They had 4 issue: Alanna Marie b. 7 Mar., 1968, Robert Lee b. 6 Aug., 1970, Judith Ann b. 2 July, 1973, and Alissa June b. 2 July, 1973. All born in Kansas City, Mo.

JANET MARIE b. 19 May, 1947 in Nevada, Mo. and m. 5 Feb., 1965 to Francis Louis Coholla, Jr. who was b. 30 Sept., 1944. They had 3 issue: Francis Andrew b. 27 June, 1969, Marrissa Jo b. 20 Oct., 1970, and Kerri Lynn b. 6 Sept., 1975.

PAUL RALPH b. 25 Jan., 1963 in Kirksville, Mo. and m. 10 Sept., 1983 to Penny Dunsar. They have 1 issue: Jason.

S&R: Dorrine Koch.

#382. Dorrine Viola, d/o Ralph and Cornelia (Pellett) Bearce (264), was b. 26 Mar., 1921. She m. 24 Sept., 1939 to John Franklin Koch. John s/o Jeremiah W. and Cecelia (Thomson) Koch, was b. 14 Aug., 1915 in Wildwood, Mo. They had 3 issue: Joyce M., V. Jean, and John E.

JOYCE MARIE b. 27 Feb., 1941 in Dixon, Mo. and m. 20 June, 1970 in the United Methodist Church to Robert I. Bishop. Bob, s/o Leslie and Mary (Jamsliski) Bishop, was b. 31 Jan., 1947. They had 2 issue: Christopher Robin b. 11 Nov., 1976, and Michael Glenn b. 21 Apr., 1982. Both born in Platte Co., Mo.



DORRINE & JOHN
KOCH (382)

VIOLA JEAN b. 15 Aug., 1943 in Mason, Mo. and m. 13 Mar., 1965 in the United Methodist Church to Jerome Stephen Lorentz. Jerry, s/o William and Jane (Sessions) Lorentz, was b. 22 June, 1943. They had 3 issue: Michael David b. 8 Apr., 1967, Pamela Joy b. 11 Apr., 1969, and Stephen Scott b. 26 Aug., 1970. All born in Georgia.

JOHN EDMOND b. 2 Feb., 1948 in Mason, Mo. and m. 24 May, 1975 in the Norland Christian Church in Kansas City, Mo. to Marsha Gayle Watkins.

Marsha, d/o Richard and Donna (Marshall) Watkins, was b. 17 July, 1955. They had 3 issue: Aaron Lee b. 31 May, 1977, Elizabeth Anne b. 18 June, 1980, and Jeremiah William b. 18 Dec., 1981. All b. Smithville, Mo. John is a Minister. S&R: Dorrine Koch

#383. Shirley Ralph, s/o Ralph and Cornelia (Pellett) Bearce (264) was b. 7 Apr., 1924 in Blue Mound, Mo. He m. 11 Feb., 1945 to Eunice Arlene Eberbe. "Arlene", d/o Charles William and Juanita Belle (Linton) Eberbe, was b. 20 Aug., 1926 in Decatur, Ill. They had 2 issue: Charles R., and Eddie Ray.

CHARLES RALPH b. 24 May, 1946 in St. Louis, Mo. "Mickey", as he is called, m. 16 June, 1967 to Jean Elizabeth Anderson who was b. 9 May, 1947. They had 2 issue: Jeffrey Blaine b. 7 May, 1968, and Brian Christopher b. 25 Mar., 1970. Both b. Idaho Falls, Idaho. Mickey and Jean div. He m. 14 May, 1977 Carol Jean Stasio. This too must have ended in div. for he m. a 3rd time to Nancy ???.

EDDIE RAY b. 18 Feb., 1948 in St. Louis, Mo. He m. 4 Mar., 1967 to Susan Marg ??? who was b. 10 Aug., 1948. They had 2 issue: Shari Lynn b. 29 Jan., 1968 in St. Louis, Mo., and Eddie Ray, Jr. b. 20 June, 1969 in Colorado Springs, Colo.

S&R: Dorrine Koch.

#384. Hazel Irene, d/o Alva and Helen (Endicott) Pellett (266), was b. 21 July, 1924 in Mulberry, Kan. She m. R. B. Shoemaker who was b. 19 Dec., 1916 in Appleton City, Mo. They had 8 issue: Ruth A., Marilyn J., Sandra K., Paul D., Barbara J., Carol S., Linda E., and Brenda J.

RUTH ANN b. 15 Aug., 1944 and m. 12 Aug., 1967 to Jerry Kennedy. They had 2 issue: Janice Lynn b. 16 July, 1969, and Angela Hope b. 8 Oct., 1971.

MARILYN JANE b. 25 June, 1946 and m. 18 Aug., 1968 to Lyle Adcock who was b. 30 Sept., 1948. They had a son Jerrel Anthony b. 22 Dec., 1973 in Kan.

SANDRA KAY b. 17 Oct., 1949 and m. Sept., 1970 to Randy Howard who was b. 8 May, 1951 in Pawnee City, Neb. They had 2 issue: Allison Rae b. 8 Mar., 1975 and Michelle Dawn b. 9 Feb., 1978. Both b. Lincoln, Neb.

PAUL DENNIS b. 27 July, 1953.

BARBARA JANE b. 16 Sept., 1955 and m. 3 Mar., 1973 to Roger Wayne Funk who was b. 9 Nov., 1954. They had 2 issue: Justine Stewart b. 27 Dec., 1975 in Pittsburg, Kan., and Christopher Aaron b. 15 Apr., 1978 in Shawnee, Mo.

CAROL SUE b. 28 Feb., 1957 and m. 23 Dec., 1978 to Jackie Steve Welch.

LINDA ELAINE b. 9 June, 1960 and m. Billy Elpert Belshe.

BRENDA JO b. 13 Oct., 1962.

S&R: Dorrine Koch; Stephen Pellett.

#385. Lilly Mae, d/o Lewis and Hattie (Pellett) Martin (268), was b. 17 Dec., 1926 in Garland, Kan. She m. 3 May, 1946 to George William Woody who was b. 21 May, 1922. "Bill" as he was called, is buried in the National Cem. They had 3 issue: Myra M., Karen E., and Leslie D.

MYRA MAE b. 5 July, 1947 and m. 3 May, 1975 to Theron R. Webb.

KAREN EVELYN b. 24 July, 1948.

LESLIE DALE b. 28 Aug., 1949 and d. 18 July, 1977.

Lilly m. 5 Oct., 1956 to William Bert Wilder who was b. 12 June, 1926. This 2nd husband adopted Lilly's 3 issue by her first husband. They had a son Jon Gregory b. 11 Oct., 1957 and m. 24 Mar. 1979 to Diane Carol Marple who was b. 3 Oct. 1959 in Yakima, Wash.

S&R: Dorrine Koch; Stephen Pellett.

#386. Ina Rose, d/o Lewis and Hattie (Pellett) Martin (268), was b. 29 Sept., 1929 in Martin, Tenn. She m. 5 Oct., 1949 to Wesley Harvey Whittenbury who was b. 28 Dec., 1923 and d. 19 Dec., 1960. They had 5 issue: Linda K., Judith A., Marilyn J., Susan M. and Sandra L. All b. Everett, Wash.

LINDA KAY b. 26 Aug., 1951 and m. 19 Jan., 1980 to Dennis Scroll.

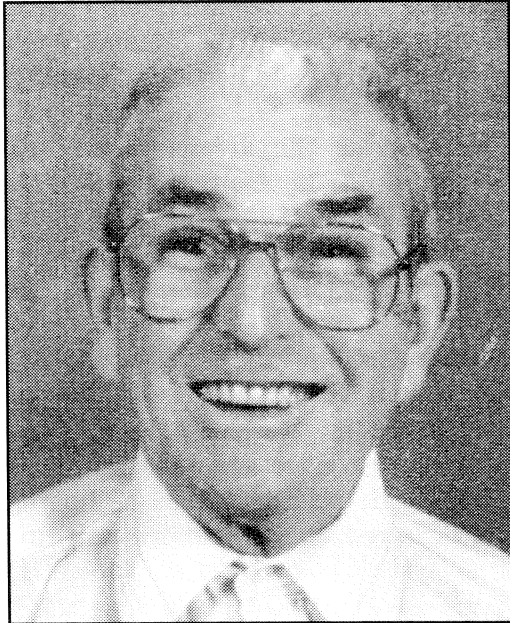
JUDITH ANN b. 1 Mar., 1953 and m. 18 Dec., 1971 to Michael J. Baker who was b. 20 July, 1953 in Alexandria, La. They had a dau. Michelle S. b. 15 May, 1972 in Everett.

MARILYN JEAN b. 8 Oct., 1952 and m. Richard Hagen who was b. 18 Nov., 1954. They had 2 issue: Dane Robert b. 3 Oct., 1978, and Deidra Ann b. 5 May, 1980 Both b. Everett.

SUSAN MARIE b. 23 Mar., 1958 and m. 13 Jan., 1979 to David Danielson.

SANDRA LEE b. 24 Mar., 1961 and m. 4 Aug., 1979 to Richard Davist.

S&R: Dorrine Koch; Stephen Pellett.



CHARLES V. KENNEDY (387)

#387. Charles Vere, s/o Fred and Ethel (Phelan) Kennedy (269), was born 15 Nov., 1913 Granite Falls, Wash. and died 27 July. 1992. When he was about 3 1/2 years old his parents divorced and being the youngest of the family he stayed at home with his mother and step father; however Charles and the other children were pushed out of the home at any early age. He moved with the family to Omak, Wash. as his stepfather was in the logging and lumber business. He married at age 17 and by 23 was the father of 5 children. He m. 10 Mar., 1931 to Beulah Elsie Louvaine Thornton. Beulah, d/o William Andrew and Bernice Mary (Ross) Thornton,

was b. 29 Jan., 1915 in Nelson, B.C. Canada and d. 6 Mar., 1958 in Sunset Hills, Ore. She died in an auto accident. They had 5 issue: William P. (477), Joan E., Jessie S., Patricia J. (478), and Ronald D.

JOAN ELIZABETH b. 14 Apr., 1933 and m. 13 Nov., 1948 to Clarence Sherman Scott, Jr. Clarence, s/o Clarence S. Sr. and Coralie (Schnell) Scott, was b. 12 July, 1927 in Oakwood, Okla., and d. 15 Sept., 1991 in Everett, Wash. They had 3 issue: Rickey A., Clarence S. III, and Steven L.

(I) Rickey Allen b. 25 July, 1949 and m. 22 Mar., 1969 to Jacqueline Elaine Hylton.

(II) Clarence Sherman III b. 18 Aug., 1950 and m. 1967 to Sherye Marie Whittington.

(III) Steven Lewis b. 6 May, 1953 and m. 19 June, 1976 to Jane Lynn Thompson.



JESSIE & PHYLLIS KENNEDY (387)



RONALD (KENNEDY) & SUE ZITTING (387)

JESSIE SHAEFFER b. 2 Aug., 1934 and m. 27 Aug., 1954 in the First Christian Church to Phyllis Marie Halverson. My source stated that she was the 1st of 25 wives - so I take that to mean that he had married quite often! At the time of this marriage Jess had a year more to go to complete his hitch in the service. Ronald Dwain was b. 9 Feb., 1937 and he m. 7 Mar., 1959 to Sue ?? . Shortly after Ronald's birth his parents divorced and he was adopted by August and Evelyn sitting. On 22 Oct., 1938, as soon as the divorce was final, Charles m. Maude Louise Stevens. Maude d. of cancer 21 Jan. 1984. From this union there were 2 issue: Betty Louise and Fred Lee. No known facts about Betty, but Fred

died at an early age with whooping cough.

At the divorce, Charles had received custody of his 2 oldest sons, but Maude did not accept them and so they were farmed out with relatives much of the time. Through these years Charles had no contact with his 1st 2 daughters. After Maude's death, he began to seek out his children and relatives and tried to meet with all his children by his 1st marriage. However he had a problem trying to remember what was in his past. In 1985-86 he was diagnosed as having Sjogen's Syndrome and he also had Diabetes. He lived in different nursing homes until his death.

S&R: Patricia Schuknecht.

#388. Carolyn Sue, d/o Charles and Flossie (Brown) Lamb (270), was b. 4 Sept., 1933 in Fountain Co., Ind. and m. 28 Apr., 1955 to Gordon Benton Crawford. Gordon, s/o Roscoe Dale and Vivian (Coosie Benton) Crawford, was b. 31 May, 1926. This was his 2nd marriage. They had 3 issue: Gordon B., Jr., Geoffrey B., and Grady B.



CAROLYN with her grandchildren, KARISA, CHRISTOPHER, KRYSTAL, KATHE & MEGAN (388)

GORDON BENTON Jr. b. 2 July, 1960 and m. 10 June, 1985 to Tari Nikki Trevor (her birth name was Tammy Tuos-changed in 1986) who was b. 12 May, 1967. "Chip" as he is called, and Tari had 2 issue: Christopher Shane b. 8 Jan 1986, and Megan Nicole b. 4 Oct., 1988. Both b. Pasadena, Calif.

GEOFFREY BRANDON b. 15 Feb., 1962 and m. 7 July, 1984 to Kathe Luise VonKampen who was b. 3 Apr., 1966. They had 3 issue: Karisa Larynne b. 1 July, 1985, Krystal LeAnne b. 6 Apr., 1987, and Kathe LyNette b. 27 Sept., 1989.

GRADY BRIAN b. 1 June, 1964 and d. in Mexico 7 June, 1975. Born Phoenix, Ari.

Gordon and Carolyn div. Carolyn m. Gary Henry Schroder. He died and she sold their home and bought a mobile or Rv vehicle. Her Mother lives in Florida and Carolyn makes that her home-base, but spends most of her time traveling with her dog. She is now a Mormon or Latter-day Saint and visits Salt Lake City. Also takes time with both sons and families.

S&R: Carolyn Sschroder.

#389. James Patch, s/o C. Glen and Bernadine (Patch) Sandmire, (271), was b. 20 Nov., 1920. He m. Feb., 1940 to Mamie Schumacher who was b. 25 May, 1925. They had 3 issue: Marilyn, Veronica, and James P.

MARILYN b. 9 Dec., 1940 and m. 26 Apr., 1958 to Edwin Slaney who was b. 18 July, 1936. They had 4 issue: Sandra J., Cynthia L., Susan K., Sally A.,

(I) Sandra Jean b. 8 Oct., 1958 and m. 18 June, 1977 to Marlin Schell who was b. 30 June, 1959. They had 4 issue: Jamie Lee b. 12 June, 1977, Steven Garrett b. 28 Aug., 1979, Jeffrey Martin b. 18 Feb., 1981, and Tricia Jean b. 27 Apr., 1982.

(II) Cynthia Lorraine b. 5 Feb., 1960 and m. 11 June, 1977 to Frederick Bell who was b. 30 Mar., 1955. They had 2 issue: Jennifer b. 13 Sept., 1977 and Frances b. 9 May, 1979. Cynthia and Fred div. 16 May, 1980. She m. 30 May, 1981 to Duane Faber who was b. 8 June, 1959. They had a dau. Tiffany b. 8 Aug., 1982. They div. 15 Apr., 1985.

(III) Susan Kay b. 9 Aug., 1963 and m. 15 June, 1985 to Alfred Rego who was b. 25 Aug., 1964.

(IV) Sally Anne b. 15 Nov., 1965 and m. 8 Dec., 1984 to Rick Dahlberg who was b. 20 Mar., 1960. They had a dau. Ashley Amber b. 26 May, 1985 Sally and Rick div. 16 July, 1986. Marilyn and Edwin div. 6 Apr., 1966. She had a son Scott Charles b. 26 Sept., 1971. Marilyn m. 7 Dec., 1975 to James Meeker who was b. 10 Jan., 1979. They had a son Chad James b. 15 June, 1976.

VERONICA b. 13 Apr., 1943 and m. 21 Oct., 1960 to Patrick Connors who was b. 21 July, 1943. They had 3 issue: Patrick James b. 27 Mar., 1961, Steve Allen b. 1 June, 1962, and Carla Sue b. 11 Nov., 1966. Veronica and Pat div. 22 June, 1975. She m. 8 Oct., 1975 to Phillip Thomas who was b. 29 Apr., 1933. They had a son Travis Phillip b. 21 Nov., 1981.

JAMES PATCH JR. b. 27 June, 1944 and m. 1961 to Linda Dietz. James Sr. and Mamie div. Oct., 1952. He m. 28 May, 1972 to Joan Kannenberg who was b. 7 Sept., 1933. they had a dau. Kathleen Kay b. 11 Feb., 1967.

S&R: Dorrine Koch; David Sandmire; Stephen Pellett.

#390. Janet Bernadine, d/o C. Glen and Lois (Patch) Sandmire (271), was b. 23 May, 1931 and m. 2 July, 1955 to Kenneth Merle Frost who was b. 13 Sept., 1931. They had 6 issue: Karla J., Dane L., Marlon R., Turk A., Cory L., and Kari R.

KARLA JOY b. 17 Sept., 1956 and m. 4 Dec., 1976 to David F. Bullis who was b. 4 Oct., 1946. They div. Jan., 1987. She m. Charles Frederick who was b. 19 Sept., 1946.

DANE LEE b. 7 July, 1957 and d. 8 July, 1957.

MARLON ROGER b. 26 Aug., 1960 and d. 30 Aug., 1960.

TURK ALAN b. 1 June, 1961 (adopted 8 July, 1961 by the Frosts)

CORY LYNN b. 30 June, 1963 (adopted 13 Jan, 1964 by the Frosts)

KARI RAE b. 31 dec., 1964. Janet and Kenneth div. 19 Jan., 1979.

S&R: Dorrine Koch; David Sandmire; Stephen Pellett.

#391. Herbert Foster, s/o C.Glen and Lois (Patch) Sandmire (271), was b. 9 Apr., 1929. He m. 15 Sept., 1957 to Crystal Arnsworth who was b. 18 Aug., 1931. They had 5 issue: Cheryl B., Yvonne L., Kevin W., Michel J. and David A. (479).

CHERYL BERNADINE b. 12 Feb., 1954 and m. 26 May, 1985 to Anthony Munda who was b. June, 1961.

YUVONNE LOREEN b. 11 Jan., 1956 and m. 22 Sept., 1979 to William Bosslet who was b. 30 Aug., 1956. They div., Sept., 1986.

KEVIN WAYNE b. 14 Dec., 1959 and m. 23 June, 1984 to Karen Sue Budic who was b. 29 Sept., 1959.

MICHEL JAY b. 9 Oct., 1961.

S&R: David Sandmire.

#392. Lyle LaVaughn, s/o C.Glen and Lois (Patch) Sandmire (271), was b. 21 Jan., 1935 and m. 1956 to Sharon Weikert who was b. 31 July, 1939 and d. 1985. They had 6 issue: Donna L., Laurie J., Darlene K., Terri L., Dale E., and David G.

DONNA LYNN b. 17 Jan., 1957 and m. 12 Sept., 1980 to Donald Kelley who was b. 7 Sept., 1952. They had 2 issue: Courtney Kay b. 26 Dec., 1981, and Clinton Kyle b. 4 Feb., 1983. Donna and Don div. 15 July, 1985. Donna m. 18 June, 1988 to Daniel Joseph Yound who was b. 2 July, 1952.

LAURIE JEAN b. 31 Aug., 1959 and m. 13 Oct., 1984 to Jose Candelario Hernandez who was b. 26 Feb., 1954. They had 3 issue: Rose Marie b. 15 July, 1979, Jennifer Lynn b. 8 May, 1982, and Kevin James b. 24 June, 1985.

DARLENE KAY b. 11 Aug., 1960. She had a dau. Brooks Ann b. 11 May, 1983.

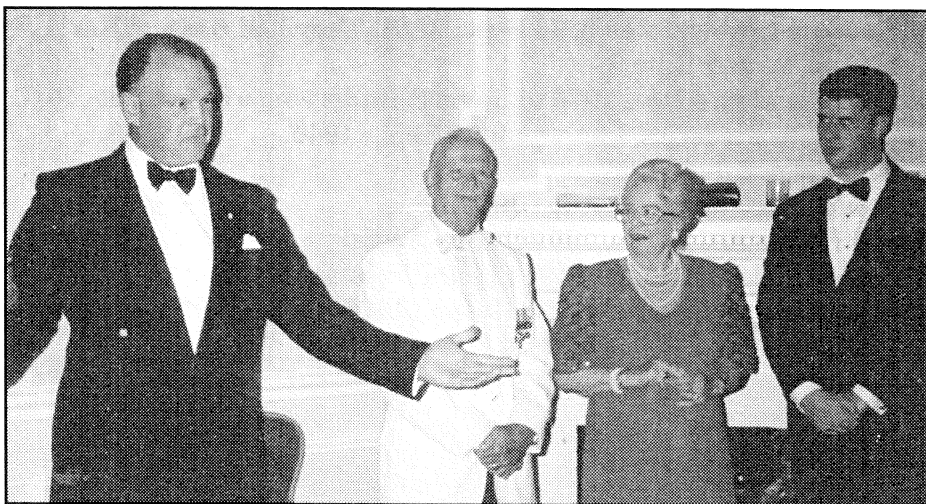
TERRI LEE b. 8 Jan., 1962 and m. 7 May, 1983 to Dennis Weisman who was b. 8 Feb., 1962. They div. 23 July, 1985.

DALE EDWARD b. 15 Oct., 1963. He had a son Ryda Edward b. 23 July, 1985. Dale m. 18 June, 1986 to Holly Beth Fitzgerald who was b. 9 Aug., 1966. They have a dau. Jennifer Lynn b. 21 Oct., 1987.

DAVID GLEN b. 15 Oct., 1963. LaVaughn and Sharon div.

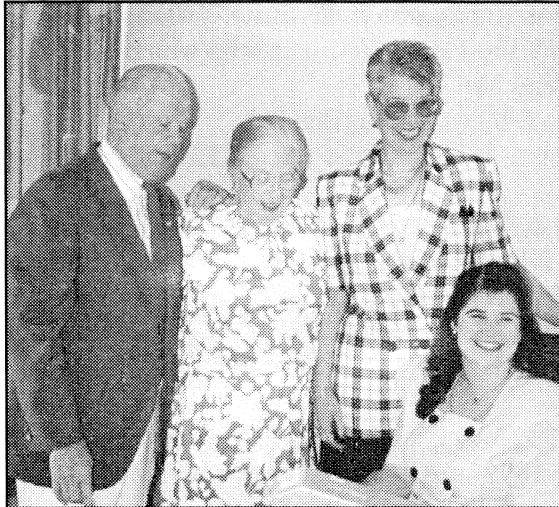
S&R: David Sandmire.

#393. Ellsworth George, s/o George and Frances (Moore) Van Orman (185). was b. 17 Sept., 1913 in Elkhart, Ind. He Joined the Marines in 1936 and retired as a Colonel. His Mother



wanted to call him William, but his Dad won out on the name, however his Mother and his siblings always called him Bill. Others call him Van. He m. Mary Elizabeth Chandler who was b. 3 June, 1914 in Lake Forest, Ill. They had 2 issued Chandler L; and Bethany.

CHANDLER, VAN, MARY BETH & CAMERON - 1993 - (393)



VAN, MARY BETH & 2 BETHANY'S,
MOTHER & DAUGHTER (393)

CHANDLER LEE b. 15 Jan., 1941 in Oak Park, Ill. He is an Attorney. He is married and has 2 issue: Robin, in 1994 was in Graduate School in Phoenix, Ariz., and Cameron who in 1994 was a sophomore at Dartmouth.

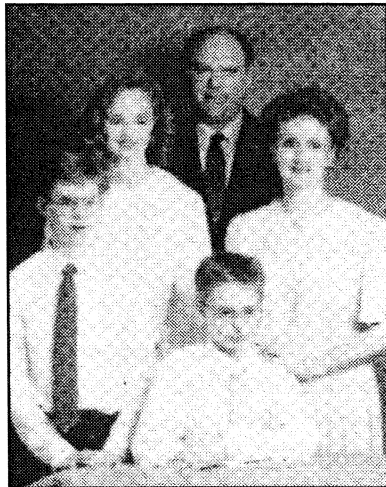
BETHANY is married and has a daughter: Bethany who, in 1994 will be a doctor when she is graduated from the U. of Florida. She m. about Dec., 1993 Now that Van is retired they have an apartment Arlington, Va. They do a lot of traveling, although Van is not too well and must watch his diet and exercise-swimming daily. S&R: Col. E.G. Van Orman.



ROBIN (393)

#394. Jean Louise, d/o William Clarence and Helen (Dickhout Pask) Rishel (274) was b. 5 Apr., 1927 in White Hall, Pe. She m. 28 June, 1947 Roland Westley Parsons. Roland, s/o John Roland and Katherine Marguerite (Ramborger) Parsons, was b. 2 Aug., 1920 in Nescopeck, Pa. and d. 23 Nov., 1988 in Houston, Tex. He served U.S.Army Air Corps 1942-45 as a Radio Operator. Was a P.O.W. He was an engineers worked KPRC Station. They had 5 issue: Nancy L., Debra J., Cyndy L., Vickie L. and Bobbie K.

NANCY LOUISE b.12 May, 1948 in Kansas City, Kan. She m. 29 Mar., 1969 to Roy Darral Dunn. Roy, s/o Wilson Oscar and Sylvia Eloide (Linscomb) Dunn, was b. 2 Aug., 1945 in Orange, Tex. Roy is a high school principal. He was in the U.S.A.F. 1971-1974. They have 3 issue: Julie Louise b. 29 Oct., 1972 in Baltimore, Md., Mark Derral b. 31 Mar., 1978 in Groves, Tex., and Todd Wilson b. 31 Mar., 1978. Nancy is a Mormon.



MARK, JULIE, & TODD
ROY & NANCY (394)

DEBRA JEAN b. 26 Aug., 1951 and m. 4 Sept., 1970 to Dennis Earl Leland.

CYNDY LEE b. 29 Dec. 1956 and m. 20 Oct., 1990 to Charles Richard Moore. Cyndy works as a secretary.

VICKIE LYNN b. 28 Dec., 1957 and m. 24 Mar. 1984 to William Buford Junior Wilson. Vickie is a florist.

BOBBIE KAY b. 10 Jan. 1963. Bobbie is a math teacher. Jean and Roland divorced.

S&R: Nancy P. Dunn.

#395. Meda Ray, d/o Lester and Mary (Johns) Flynn (276), was b. 28 June, 1894 in Seward Co., Neb. and d. 17 Dec., 1957. She m. 4 Sept., 1912 to Willie Henry Younker who was b. 28 Dec., 1894. They had 3 issue: Emmet B., June A., and Darlene M.

EMMET BUFORD b. 8 Jan., 1913 and m. 28 July, 1933 to Lilyan Scharff.

JUNE ALICE b. 27 June, 1918 and m. Virgil Eugene Walston who was b. 22 Dec., 1914 in Webster, N.D. They had 2 issue: Larry E. and Janice J.

(I) Larry Eugene b. 25 Apr., 1938 in Puyallup, Wash. He m. 6 Jan., 1960 to Clare Peck who was b. 29 June, 1944 in Hagerman, Idaho. They had 2 issue: Rusty Eugene b. 14 Oct., 1961 in Tacoma, Wash. and Christy Lynn b. 10 Aug., 1965 in Tokyo, Japan. In 1975 Larry and Clare div. He later m. Alice Munger who was b. 29 June, 1938 in Redvale, Colo.

(II) Janice June m. Vernon Lee Westmark who was b. LaPorte, Minn. They had 4 issues Sandra L., Douglas M., Kenneth R., and Kimberley A.

(A) Sandra Lee b. 29 May, 1960 and m. 20 Jan., 1979 to Charles David Kay who was b. 4 Nov., 1959. They had 2 issue: Melissa Ann b. 25 June, 1979 and Jennifer Marie b. 6 Mar., 1981. Both b. Puyallup, Wash.

(B) Douglas Michael b. 29 Apr., 1961 and m. 8 Sept., 1979 to Lisa A. Chasteen

(C) Kenneth Ray b. 13 Mar., 1968.

(D) Kimberley Ann b. 18 Apr., 1975.

DARLENE MAE b. 19 May, 1922 and m. Leonard Glenn Sutton who was b. 1913 in Greenville, N.C. They had 2 issue: Leonard G. and Richard L. Darlene and Leonard div. and she m. Robert W. Oberg who was b. at Wakefield, Mich. Robert adopted Darlene's boys.

(I) Leonard Glen b. 24 Nov., 1939 and m. 31 Dec., 1960 to Patricia Diane Ney who was b. 27 Aug., 1941. They had 3 issue: Lisa b. 17 Dec., 1963 in Perth, Australia, David John b. 12 June, 1965 in Perth, and Eric Edward b. 27 May, 1969 in Seattle, Wash.

(II) Richard Leroy b. 23 Aug., 1941 and m. 12 Feb., 1965 to Jane Christina Walston who was b. 4 Nov., 1946. They had 2 issue: James Richard b. 23 Aug., 1966, and Michael John b. 21 July, 1969. In 1945 Darlene and Robert div. Meda and Willie div. in 1925. Meda m. Joseph Ray Libreajt.

S&R: George John.

#396. Esther Irene, d/o Charles and Helen (Flynn) Johns (277), was b. 19 July, 1906 in Palmer, Neb. She m. 3 Oct., 1926 to Martin C. (Matdson) Edmunds who was b. 18 Feb., 1897 and d. 26 Oct., 1978 in Slaton, Texas. They had 5 issue: Charles M., Betty J., Donald W., Glenn L., and Dale A.

CHARLES MERWYN b. 21 July, 1927 in Post, Texas and m. 22 July, 1961 to Betty Ruth Parker Fry who was b. 22 June, 1933. Betty had 2 sons by a previous marriage, Gary D. and Terry J. and Charles adopted them. They also had 2 issue: Lori A., and Dana J.

(I) Gary Dan b. 11 Dec., 1952 and m. 8 Mar., 1980 to Samantha Maria Law and adopted her dau. Shawna. they had 2 issues Alicia Dawn b. 7 July, 1982 and Matthea Janella.

(II) Terry Jay b. 8 Jan., 1956 and m. 6 Apr., 1974 to Lou Ann Kaiser who was b. 27 Oct., 1958. They had 2 issues Micky James b. 12 Aug., 1974, and Melissa Dawn b. 19 Jan., 1978. Both b. York, Neb.

(III) Lori Ann b. 9 June, 1962 and m. 27 Mar., 1981 to Boyd Smith.

(IV) Dana Jo b. 2 Feb., 1964.

BETTY JEAN b. 19 Dec., 1930 and m. 5 Oct., 1951 to Sam Addison Wall who d. 26 Aug., 1971. They had 3 issues Anita L., Vicki S., and Karen D.

(I) Anita Lois b. 15 Oct., 1953 in Many, Lou. and m. 22 Jan., 1972 to David Harold Barnhill who was b. 25 July, 1950 in Beaumont, Texas. They had 2 issue: Alyssa Janette b. 27 Dec., 1978, and Christopher David b. 4 Nov., 1982. Both b.S hreveport, Lou.

(II) Vickie Sue b. 23 Mar., 1956 and m. 14 June, 1974 to Don Paul Mizell who was b. 7 Feb., 1952. They had 2 issues Don Paul Jr. b. 13 Sept., 1977 and Joshua Paige b. 28 Sept., 1982. Both b. Shreveport.

(III) Karen Denise b. 27 Oct , 1961 and m. 7 June, 1980 to Randel H. O'Banion who was b. 7 Oct., 1959. On 24 Mar., 1973 Betty m. Ottis G. Arthur who was b. 27 May, 1922.

DONALD WAYNE b. 21 Aug., 1932 and m. 16 Aug., 1952 in Clovis, N.M. to Dorothy June Gunnels who was b. 6 June, 1934. They had 4 issue: Benny M., Sharla J., Sandra L., and Bobby D.

(I) Benny Martin b. 27 Dec., 1953 and m. 7 May, 1977 to Sharon Kay Underwood Dunson. They had 1 issue: John Aaron b. 7 Feb., 1978. They div. 11 Jan., 1979.

(II) Sharla June b. 10 Dec., 1955 and m. 15 Sept., 1979 to Larry R. Singleton.

(III) Sandra Leigh b. 15 Sept., 1957 and m. 8 Sept., 1978 to T. Dale Mason who was b. 3 Dec., 1957. They have 1 issue: Kristopher Dale b. 31 Dec., 1980.

(IV) Bobby Don b. 11 Apr., 1960.

GLENN LLOYD b. 4 Feb., 1937 and m. 14 Aug., 1959 to Iva Justine Crumble who was b. 14 Aug., 1939. They had 3 issue: Cynthia Dawn b. 19 May, 1960, Glenn Lloyd Jr. b. 1 May, 1962, and Celesta Justine b. 16 Apr., 1967.

DALE ARDEN b. 4 Mar., 1939 and d. 24 Oct., 1975. He m. 21 Sept., 1962 to Ann Haddock who was b. 2 Nov., 1942. They had 4 issue: Ginger Jeanine b. 6 Sept., 1963, Edwin Jarrod b. 17 Apr., 1966, Julie Ann b. 5 Mar., 1968, and Chris Jason b. 6 Mar., 1970.

S&R: George John.

#397. Thelma Irene, d/o Arthur and Clara (Cunningham) Johns (279), was b. 9 Mar., 1911 in Arden, Neb. and d. 25 Feb., 1977 in Tilden, Neb. She was an elementary teacher in Neb. and Mont. for many years. Thelma m. 1 June, 1933 to Asa Clifford Shermer. "Ace" was b. 8 Sept., 1910. They farmed near Elgin, Neb. and ranched near Atkinson, Neb., Kalispell, Mont., —and Tilden, Neb. They had 4 issue: Ace E., W. Duane, Gary L., and Ellen F.

ACE EUGENE "GENE" b. 19 May, 1934 in Elgin, Neb. He was in the U.S. Air Force and retired with rank of Lt.Colonel. He m. 29 Mar., 1959 to Theresa Schultz who was b. 26 Sept., 1936 in Ludz, Poland. They had 3 issue: Russell b. 20 July, 1961 in ElPaso, Texas, Holly Ann b. 16 Apr., 1963 in ElPaso, and Jill Christine b. 19 June, 1968 in Grand Fork, N.D. Since Gene retired from the air Force, they make their home on a farm near Norfolk, Neb. where they farm and raise livestock. Gene holds an M. BA degree and teaches building construction at Northeast Technical Com.College.

WALTER DUANE b. 9 July, 1935 in Atkinson, Neb. He m. 28 May, 1955 to Shirley Leita Flowers who was b. 2 Oct., 1936 in Valleyview, Neb. They farmed in Neb. then when Duane's parents moved to Mont. they went along and returned to Neb. when his parents returned. Had a ranch there. In Neb. they owned and operated a fast food restaurant in Burwell. They had 5 issue: Patricia L., Steven D., Rodney M., Teri J., and Jana S.

(I) Patricia Leita b. 3 Apr., 1956 in Kalispell, Mont. and m. 12 Aug., 1974 to Vance Lee Jeffres. They had 4 issue: Matthew Lee b. 1 May, 1975, Darce Leila b. 11 Nov., 1976, Seth Levi b. 22 June, 1979, and Gabriel Lin b. 27 Dec., 1980. All b. Ord, Neb.

(II) Steven Duane b. 25 Nov., 1957.

(III) Rodney Mel b. 17 Feb., 1959 and m. 28 July, 1978 to Sherry E. Phillips who was b. 20 Mar., 1958

(IV) Teri Jean b. 2 July, 1961.

(V) Jana Sue b. 11 Sept., 1962.

GARY LYNN b. 28 Dec., 1936 in Elgin, Neb. and d. 1 Jan., 1982. He attended the U. of Neb. at Lincoln for 1 year, then served in the U.S. Army for 3 years. After discharge he lived in Norfolk, Neb. He belonged to the Christ Lutheran Church. Also American Legion. He m. Shirley ??? and div. NI

ELLEN FAYE b. 21 Feb., 1938 in Atkinson, Neb. She m. 23 Mar., 1957 to Wallace E. Maroney who was b. 29 Jan., 1939 in Landusky, Mont. They had 4 issue: Tracy A., Michael W., Tamra S., and Mark E.

(I) Tracy Ann b. 13 June, 1958 and m. 12 Feb., 1977 to David A. Simpson.

(II) Michael Wallace b. 20 Oct., 1959.

(III) Tamra Sue b. 19 Mar., 1962.

(IV) Mark Edward b. 16 Aug., 1967. Since 1967 they have made their home in Butte, Mont. S&R: George John.

#398. Kathryn John, d/o C. Elmer and Deliah (Schoener) John (281) was b. 9 Feb., 1896. She m. 6 July, 1924 to Charles Otho Paxton. NI. On 24 Aug., 1931 she m. Walter Michael. He was Minister of the Alva Methodist Church in Alva, Fla. They had 1 issue: Barbara L.

BARBARA LOU b. 14 Oct., 1932 and m. 8 Feb., 1954 to Decatur Drew Blanchard Jr. They had 2 issue: D'Nise and Julie.

(I) D'Nise b. 19 Apr., 1955 and m. 24 July, 1976 to William K. Hefner.

(II) Julie b. 7 Nov., 1961. After Walter retired, in 1979, they lived in Asbury Methodist Village, Gaithersburg, Md. S&R: George John.

#399. Ambrose Ezra, s/o Ezra and Sylvia (Strausser) John (282), was b. 31 Aug., 1900 in Columbia Co., Pa. and d. Nov., 1935. He became an engineer on the Reading RR and lived in Shamokin, Pa. During the depression of the early 30th, he was furloughed and went to work in a bakery. Later he was called back by the Reading RR, but as a fireman. He was killed by a boiler explosion due to low water. Ambrose m. 1920 to Marion Shum who was b. 6 Sept., 1899 and d. Dec., 1935. Both buried in the Odd Fellows Cem. Treverton Rd., west of Shamokin. They had 2 issue: Robert and Pauline R.

ROBERT b. 24 Sept., 1922. He is a secretary. m. Catherine Wagner. They had 2 issue: Robert, Jr. b. 21 Mar., 1954 and Susanne b. 1 July, 195?. Both b. Salisbury, Md.

PAULINE R. b. 7 Nov., 1924 and d. 17 Nov., 1974 of Lukemia. Buried in St. Edward's Cem., Shamokin. She m. 10 Nov., 1944 to Robert D. Haggerty who was a C.P.A. They had 2 issue: Daniel and Karen.

(I) Daniel b. 28 Oct., 1945. He was Foreman in a Steel Mill near Kennett Square, Pa. He m. 3 Oct., 1964 to Alma C. Kotkoskie. They had 4 issue: Christine b. 16 Apr., 1966, Coreen b. 26 July, 1968, Cathleen b. 26 July, 1972, and Coleen b. 21 May, 197?.

(II) Karen b. 1 Feb., 1950 and m. 24 July, 1971 to Gerard Socha. Karen obtained a BA degree in Mathematics from St. Joseph's College in Emmittsburg, Md. Gerard is a graduate of Notre Dame. He is Manager for Proctor and Gamble - Chicago area. They live in Arlington Heights, Ill. They had 3 issue: Gerard David b. 28 Sept., 1972, Janice M. b. 22 Oct., 1975 and d. 1 Jan., 1976 (Crib Death), and Christopher Michael b. 12 Oct., 1976.

S&R: George John.

#400. Purcell Paul, s/o Ezra and Sylvia (Strausser) John (282), was b. 1 Feb., 1903 in Mainville, Pa. He worked for the Reading RR and became a section foreman. Paul, as he was called, m. 12 Dec., 1919 to Mary Teriwilliger, the d/o James D. and Nora (Rickard) Teriwilliger. They made their home in Catawissa, Pa. They had 9 issue: Luella, Ruth, Purcell P.Jr., Mary L., Roland, Gerald, R. Wayne, Lois J. and Robert.

LUELLA b. 15 Mar., 1920 and d. 6 Nov., 1962. She is buried in the Hillside Cem., Catawissa, Pa. She m. 14 June, 1950 to Parvin Shepperson who was b. 2 May, 1904 and d. 27 Oct., 1962. He was a Boilermaker by trade. NI.

RUTH b. 6 May, 1924. She worked in a shirt factory. m. Ralph Mills who was b. 4 Apr., 1923. He was a Licensed Practical Nurse. They had 9 issue: Donald, twins Lawrence and Barry, Pamela, Gerald, Sylvia, Mary, Thomas, and Tracy. All b. Centralia, Pa.

(I) Donald b. 28 Nov., 1946. Employed as Foreman CETA.

(II) Lawrence b. 15 May, 1948. He is a Mechanic. Is married.

(III) Barry b. 15 May, 1948. He is a truck driver.

(IV) Pamela b. 21 Oct., 1949.

(V) Gerald b. 28 Nov., 1952. Mill Foreman for Hanover Foods.

(VI) Sylvia b. 9 Sept., 1954. Works in Bloomsburg at the Co. Court House.

(VII) Mary b. 13 Dec., 1956. Works in a Shirt Factory in Espy, Pa.

(VIII) Thomas b. 4 June, 1958. He is a mechanic.

(IX) Tracy b. 19 May, 1960 and m. June, 1978 to Richard Williams. It may be presumed that the family no longer live in Centralia for the last time this writer drove through the fire was consuming most of the town! For years it was all undergrown, then slowly crept to the surface and most folks willing left the town, although there were a few who refused to go.

PURCELL PAUL, JR. b. 27 May, 1925, He worked for a Construction Co.-was Vice President of the Co. in Farmington Hills, Mich. He m. 1945 to Irene Kaufman who was b. 7 Feb., 1923 in Drums, Pa. They had 2 issue: Randolph and Terry.

(I) Randolph b. 15 Oct., 1954. He is employed by Ramada Inns in Atlanta, Ga. Never married.

(II) Terry b. 3 June, 1948. He is supervisor for Michigan Lumber Co. in Detroit, Mich. He m. Linda Muirhead and they had a dau. Tracey b. 23 Mar., 1968. Linda d. and Terry m. Linda Darlene Brigle. They had 2 issues Jennifer Ann b. 25 July, 1973, and Christopher Thomas b. 18 Nov., 1974. After retirement Paul and Irene lived in Savannah, Ga.

MARY LOUISE b. 20 June, 1929. She m. William Buckalew who was a soldier in the U.S. Army. After retirement they lived in Union City, Calif. They had 2 issue: William, Jr. b. 2 Nov., 1954, and Scotty b. 15 May, 1957.

ROLAND b. 28 Dec., 1931. He was a truck driver. Roland m. 6 Sept., 1952 to Virginia Sevenison who was b. 23 June, 1934 in Bethel, Pa. NI.

GERALD b. 10 Mar., 1934 and m. 6 Apr., 1961 to Pamela Davis who was b. 20 Oct., 1943. They had 4 issue: Brian b. 6 Aug., 1963, David b. 28 Sept., 1964, Susanne b. 16 Nov., 1968, and Debbie b. 6 Mar., 1971. All b. in Berwick, Pa.

REBER WAYNE b. 28 Dec., 1935. He worked in a Plating Mill. Wayne m. Carol May Standart. They had 4 issue: Richard Wayne b. 28 Mar., 1958, Kurt Eugene b. 8 Feb., 1960, Brenda Kay b. 5 June, 1966, and Melanie May b. 3 June, 1971. The family lives in Colden, N.Y.

LOIS JEAN b. 6 Jan., 1939 and m. 1 Aug., 1959 in St. John's Church, Catawissa, Pa. to Edward Futoma, Jr. Edward, s/o Edward Walter and Mary (Krupyak) Futoma, was b. 22 Nov., 1933 in Luzerne Co., Pa. They had 3 issue: Vickie Jean b. 28 Aug., 1961 and d. 8 Sept., 1961 of congenital heart defect, Karen Louise b. 30 Sept., 1962, and Kevin Edward b. 3 Oct., 1966. Revin is a victim of Muscular dystrophy and is confined to a wheelchair

ROBERT b. 27 Mar., 1941. He is employed in the operation of a Sewer Plant. He m. 15 July, 1961 to Barbara Mae Kriesher who was b. 10 Apr., 1941. They had 2 issue: Beth Ann b. 15 Mar., 1963, and Belinda b. 2 July, 1967. We visited with the family once and Paul, Sr. was interested, but Mary, his wife, was so funny - she did not approve of delving into the past. She paced the floor and told us that we were disturbing our poor ancestors in their graves and should be ashamed of ourselves.

S&R: George John; P. Paul John, Lois Futoma; Terry John.

#401. Miriam, d/o Harry and Dorothy (Hollister) John (285), was b. 30 June, 1897 in Mt. Carmel, Pa. and d. 27 June, 1966 in Waynesboro, Pa. She m. Franklin Dumm and they had a son Franklin Jr. (480). Miriam and Franklin div. She m. Harry A. Kunes and they lived in the old homestead of her grandparents, (Jeremiah and Harriet John). After 20 years, this marriage ended in div. Miriam moved to Harrisburg, Pa. and lived there for a number of years, then moved to Waynesboro where she met and m. on Aug., 1957 John Donahue.

S&R: George John.

#402. Doris Elizabeth, d/o Harry and Dorothy (Hollister) John (285), was b. 11 Dec., 1905 in Wilksburg, Pa. She m. Apr., 1922 to Nicholas Charles Matrosic who was b. 12 Aug., 1902. "Micky", as he was called, was supervisor in the Duquesne Cinderling Plant. They had 2 issues Marjorie and Dorothy E.

MARJORIE b. 19 July, 1924 in North Braddock, Pa. She was a Nurses-Aid and worked for Visiting Nurses Assoc. of Allegheny Co., Pa. She m. 2 Sept., 1943 to Frank Joseph Novak who was b. 28 Dec., 1919. He worked for Edgar Thompson Steel Works. They had 3 issue: James F., Diane, and Charles N.

(I) James Francis b. 16 Dec., 1946 and m. 16 Apr., 1966 to Barbara Jean Pesto who was b. 24 Dec., 1947. They had 3 issue: Barbara Ann b. 11 Nov., 1967, JoAnn b. 29 Oct., 1970, and Jean Ann b. 8 Nov., 1976. At age 17, James joined the Naval Reserves and was called to active duty May, 1964, serving as a signalman on the USS Wainwright. Saw combat in the Gulf of Tonkin and was discharged Nov., 1967. He was made Fire Chief for the North Braddock Volunteer Fire Dept.

(II) Diane b. 2 Apr., 1949 and m. 21 Nov., 1969 to Ralph DeVincenzo who was b. 25 Oct., 1949. He was a Computer Operator for Union RR. They had 2 issue: Anthony Paul b. 7 July, 1970 and Dana Lynn b. 9 Feb., 1976. Both b. North Braddock, Pa. On 17 Oct., 1977 Diane and Ralph div. and then Diane and her children went to live in Swissvale, Pa.

(III) Charles Nicholas b. 8 Sept., 1954. In 1975 Frank suffered a stroke and although he recovered well, he retired with 35 years service. In 1979 he was active in the North Braddock Volunteer Fire Dept., which he had served since he was 18 years old. He served in the Army Air Force-medical detachment-during WWII.

DOROTHY ELIZABETH b. 4 Feb., 1928 and m. 19 May, 1946 to Oscar John Bennett who was b. 19 Apr., 1926. They had 3 issue: John W., Dorice, and Nicholas C.

(I) John William b. 31 Jan. 1947 and m. 13 Sept., 1969 to Judy Garber. They had 3 issue: Jennifer Christine b. 16 Sept., 1972, Michelle Eileen b. 15 Feb., 1974, and John Christopher b. 11 Feb., 1976. Bill received a BS degree in Metallurgical Engineering from the U. of Pittsburgh. He 1st worked for the Energy Research and development Adm. as a Metallurgical Engineer. Later the administration sent him to Straford U. Calif. where he received a Master Degree. In 1979 they lived Middletown Md.

(II) Dorice b. 26 Aug., 1948 and m. 20 Aug., 1972 to Richard John Hovevar who was b. 31 Jan., 1945. Dick is a Chemical Salesman for National N.L. Industries. They had 3 issues Bryan Douglas b. 16 Mar., 1972, John Richard b. 8 Nov., 1974, and Dorothy Carol b. 7 Mar., 1978.

(III) Nicholas Charles b. 17 Dec., 1961. "Jack", as he was called, served as a Coxswain and a "frogman" for the Navy in WWII, Pacific theater. After he was discharged he earned his way through college working night shift in the Duquesne Cindering Plant during the week and as a butcher for the Keogar Co. on weekends. He received a BS in Business Administration and went to work for the Atomic Energy Commission in West Mifflin Twp. Allegheny Co., Pa. After 24 years at West Mifflin, Jack transferred to Richland, Wash. where he became a Contract Administrator. After 2 years at Richland, Jack took an early retirement and the family moved back to North Huntingdon, Pa. In 1957 Doris m. James Walters who worked for the Edgar Thompson Co. He only lived a few years after their marriage. Then in May, 1961 she m. Adam Kreiger "Buzz" who worked the same place as James. Buzz d. 20 Feb., 1970 and after his death, Doris took an apartment in North Braddock near her daughter, Marjorie.

S&R: George John.

#403. Walter Elwood, s/o Harry and Dorothy (Hollister) John (285), was b. 28 Nov., 1908 in Wilksburg, Pa. He was a career soldier U.S. Army. He m. 1930 to June Eugenia Henry. She was 1/4 Chinook Indian and was a descendant of a famous Indian Chief Comcomley. They had 4 issue: twins Laura and Lorraine, Harry O. and Marian.

LAURA b. 27 Aug., 1933 and m. 1950 to Norman Manti. They had 6 issue: Wendy who m. Thomas Howther, Jane, Sandy, Brenda, Lynette, and Gene.

LORRAINE b. 27 Aug., 1933 and m. Roy Dague who was b. 14 Nov., 1929. They had 4 issue: Roy Jr., LeAnn, Gina, and Joy.

(I) Roy, Jr. b. 11 Aug., 1950 and m. 1973 to Karen Hoffman. They had 1 issue: Terri LeAnn b. 5 Aug., 1976.

(II) LeAnn b. 24 June, 1951. She m. Jeff Brugato and they had 2 issue: Nicole b. 27 Feb., 1972 in Tongue Point, Ore, and Ryan Jeffrey b. 27 Sept. 1977 in Walla Walla, Wash.

(III) Gina b. 4 Aug., 1954 and m. Monti Session. (IV) Joy b. 2 May, 1956.

HARRY OLIVER b. 26 Feb., 1935 and m. 1961 to Jeanne Boudreau. They had 3 issue: Harry Oliver, Jr. b. 1 May, 1964 in San Diego, Calif., Christopher b. 23 July, 1971 in Meridian, Miss., and Cassandra b. Aug., 1972 in Astoria, Ore.

MARIAN b. 26 Sept., 1936 and m. 6 Nov., 1955 to Aires Sleutel. They had 4 Issue: Jody, Johnny, George, and Tracy.

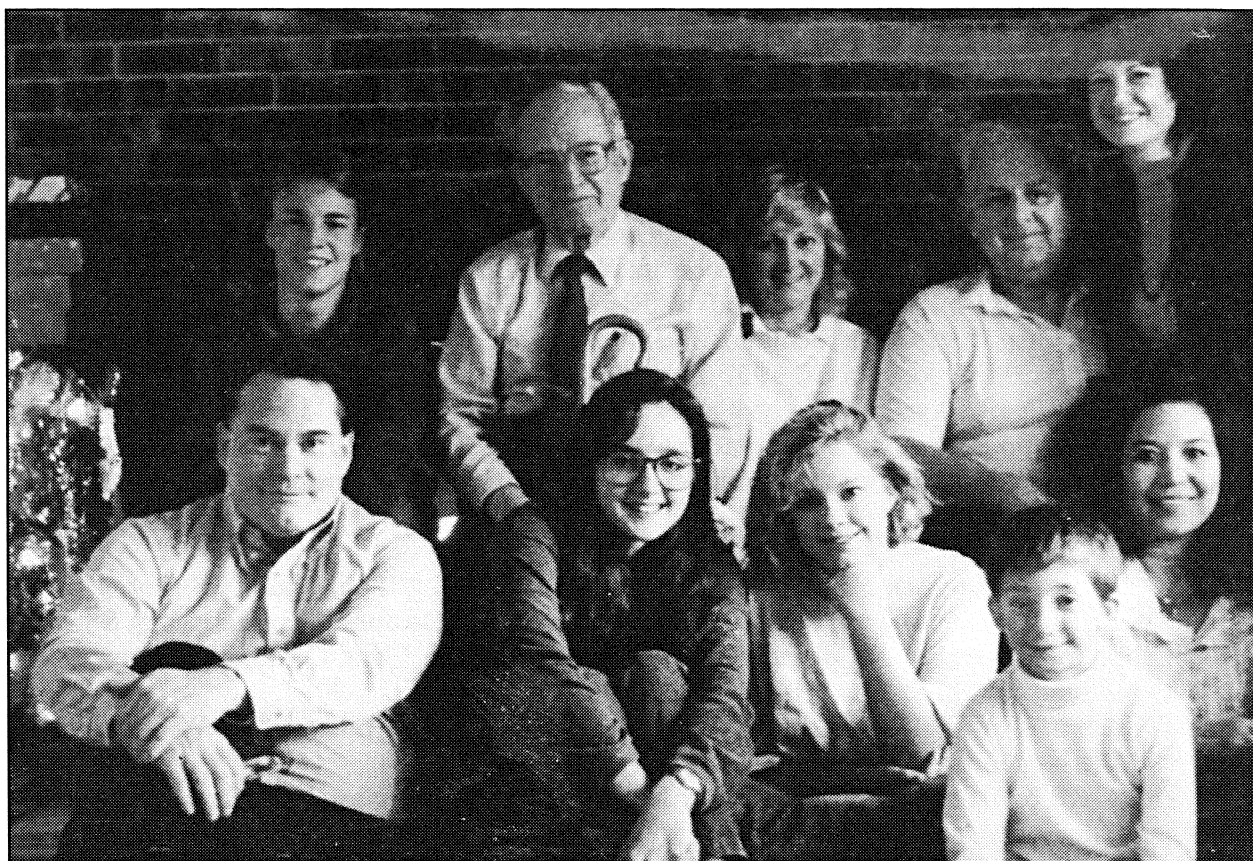
(I) Jody b. 6 Nov., 1956 and m. 1976 to Donald Abia. They had 2 issue: Devan b. 22 Apr., 1976 and Kizzie May b. 12 Aug., 1977.

(II) Johnny b. 20 Mar., 1958.

(III) George b. 7 Oct., 1962.

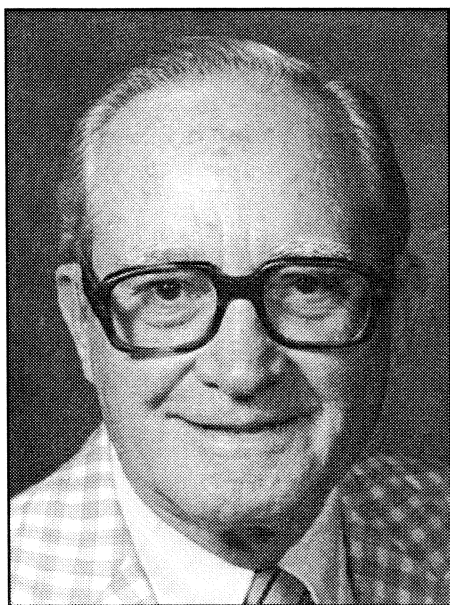
(IV) Tracy b. 2 Dec., 1964. On 2 Feb., 1952 Walter and June div. In Pusan, Korea on 14 Apr., 1954 Walter m. Chong Nak Shu who was a school teacher and quite a linguist speaking English, Korean, Japanese and Chinese. They have 2 issue: Frank Elwood b. 14 Mar., 1958, and Linda Kate b. 26 July, 1960. Shortly after this marriage, Walter suffered a stroke which partially paralyzed his right side.

S&R: George John.



Back: TERRY (482), GEORGE (404), JANET (483), PHILIP & KATHY (482)
 Front: JERRY (481), STACY (483), MAILE (482), JAMES (483), & NAM (481) Dec., 1988.

#404. George Walter, s/o Jeremiah and Margaret (Flanagan) John (286), was b. 29 Apr., 1909 in Wilkinsburg, Pa. He was graduated from Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburgh, Pa. with a BS in Mechanical Engineering. He then went to work for Westinghouse at their



GEORGE JOHN (404)

Appliance Div. in Manfield, Ohio. In 1939 he was transferred to Cleveland, Ohio. As a reserve officer (ROTC Grad.) he was called to active duty in the U.S. Army on 7 Oct., 1941, assigned to the District Engineer's Office in Tulsa, Okla. Later he made Area Eng. at the POW Camp at Alva, Okla. In Sept., 1944 he was ordered to the Eng. School, Ft. Belvoir, Va. as a Control Officer. In July, 1944 he was ordered to the Western Pacific and eventually assigned the Section of AFWESPAC Hdqts, Luzon. Released in Feb. 1946, he remained in the Active Reserves with the rank of Lt. Colonel. George m. 12 June, 1937 to Kathlyn Margaret Balbaugh at the First Methodist Church of Manfield. "Kay", d/o Frank and Janisbelle (Humphrey) Balbaugh, was b. 25 July, 1915 and d. 7 Mar., 1984. George returned to Westinghouse and after several transfers, he was sent to the Purchasing Dept. of the Large Turbine Div. at Lester, PA.

They bought a home in Drexel Hill and lived here until his retirement 1 May, 1974. They had 3 issue: Jerome F. (481), Kathleen M. (482), and Janet E. (483). Kay had a stroke that impaired the use of her left arm and leg and so they sold their home in Drexel Hill and took an apartment in Plymouth Meeting, Pa. One day George and Kay went to the Swarthmore Genealogical Library and the Librarian told them that my husband and I had been there the day before and she gave them our names and address and so we became very close, exchanging visits and letters. George did an outstanding job on his branch of our family and put it all into a most interesting book, from which I got all the data found here. Kay was a lovely person. She must have been quite a gal before her stroke-held her Master Points in Bridge and played all over the country and Hawaii. She used to make all her daughters clothing. And she must have been a good cook for she would instruct George when he cooked for us visiting them. She had diabetes and after a time she had trouble with circulation and had to have a leg removed. Gods was good and took her before she realized her leg was gone. Since Kay's death, George has remained in the apartment and now (1994) has an electric wheelchair which helps him get around. Son Jerry is so good to him and just this summer came east and took his Dad and nephew James, on a trip to the Skyline Drive, stopping in to visit us on the way.

S&R: George John, and personal knowledge.

#405 Maurice Alvin, s/o Jeremiah and Margaret (Flanagan) John (286), was b. 23 May, 1911 in Wilkinsburg, Pa. In 1934 "Morry" was graduated from Carnegie Institute of Technology in Pittsburgh with a BA in Architecture. In 1941 he was drafted into the Army and was selected for Officer training, after which he was commissioned to the Chemical Warfare service and served at various posts in the U.S. and Luzon, Philippines and was discharged with the rank of captain. He then joined the architecture firm in Gadsden, Ala. While there he m. on 11 Dec., 1941 to Marion Linde of Wilkinsburg. Later, in 1949 Morry moved his family to Harrisburg, Pa. and joined the firm of Lawrie and Green, where, in time, he became an associate and head of the Specifications Dept. They had 1 issue: Barbara A.

BARBARA ANN b.14 Feb., 1948 and m. 26 June, 1971 to James Whetstone. He is Purchasing agent for a general contractor and they make their home in New Cumberland, Pa. They had a dau. Laura Katherine b. 22 Sept., 1978.

S&R: George John.

#406. Arthur Wilson, s/o Jeremiah and Margaret (Flanagan) John (286), was b. 13 Aug., 1913 in Wilkinsburg, Pa. In 1936 he graduated from Penn. State College and from the fall of 1936 to 1940, he worked as contributing and later, associate editor of the Bulletin Index, a Pittsburgh weekly news magazine. As a sideline, he wrote and occasionally announced for a program of jazz music on Pittsburgh radio station. From 1940 to fall of 1941 he worked with public relations firm (M.K.Mellott & Co.), then entered graduate school of the U. of Mich., receiving a Master of Arts Degree. From there Arthur was called into the Army and selected for officer candidate school. After obtaining his commission in the Med. Adm. Corps. he was assigned to the 8th (Golden Arrow) div. He commanded a litter bearer platoon, as the div. took part in Normandy fighting, the invasion of Brittany Peninsula, and the Battles of the Rhine and Ruhr, and final swept across Germany to meet the Russian force at the Elbe Canal. He received a battlefield promotion to 1st Lt. After discharge, he entered Harvard U. and obtained a PhD in history in 1951.

That same year he joined the Central Intell. Agency, serving until his retirement in 1973. After retirement he taught history at various Virginia colleges. Arthur m. 24 Nov., 1955 to Beryl Schraum who was secretary to the Democratic Party Whip, Carl Albert (later speaker of the House). They had 2 issue: Jeffrey L. and Barbara L.

JEFFREY LOUIS b. 27 Dec., 1956. He was a 1978 graduate from Mary Washington College in Fredericksburg, Va. where he majored in science, with a BS degree. He was employed as a physicist at the Navy Ship Research and Development Center at Bethesda, Md. though his work required him to spend considerable time in the Bahamas, Florida, and New London, Conn. He is now married and has a son Cameron Arthur b. 4 June, 1988.

BARBARA LOUISE b. 7 Oct., 1959. As a teenager she went to live with her Mother's brother in Prairie View, Ill. and worked with him (he was a magazine publisher). In 1979 Barbara moved to Boston, Mass. and there attended community college and worked part time. On 20 Apr., 1988 she had a dau. Josie Mia. In early 1979 Arthur and Beryl agreed to a legal separation and Beryl took an apartment not far from the family home in which Arthur and Jeff had continued to live. Beryl had nerve problems.

S&R: George John.

#407. George Asa Jr., s/o George and Sadie (Watkins) John (287), was b. 4 July, 1903 in Mt. Carmel, Pa. and d. 8 Nov., 1983 in Shamokin, Pa. His father died when he was quite young and his mother felt that she could not raise two boys alone, so she sent George to live with his paternal grandparents - they were, at that time, raising 3 or 4 of their own sons! George was a carpenter. He m. 17 Nov., 1926 to Mary d/o Irvin and Clara Houghton. She was b. 18 July, 1907 and d. in 1978. They had 5 sons: George A. III, Donald H., Bert R., Paul R. (484), and David E. All born Shamokin.

GEORGE ASA III b. 9 Oct., 1927. He was a Handy Man. George m. 5 July, 1948 to Joy Boyer, d/o John C. Freeman and Lily Ann Pearl (Kreamer) Boyer. Joy was b. 22 Mar., 1930. They had 1 issue: Linda B.

(I) Linda Boyer b. 6 Feb., 1949 in Gowen City, Pa. and m. 20 June, 1969 to Dale Lahr. DONALD HUGH. 13 May, 1932. He is an Electronic Technician. Donald m. Laura Jesus and they had a dau. Donna b. 16 Mar., 1959 in Norfolk, Va. Donald and Laura divorced.

BERT RICHARD b. 20 Sept., 1936. He m. Arlene Boyer, but the marriage did not last-NI. Bert is an Occupation Laborer and lives in Shamokin.

DAVID EDWARD b. 21 Jan., 1946. He is a service Repairman. David m. 3 Nov., 1979 to Faye Arlene Bloom in the Chatham Methodist Church in Chatham, Pa. Faye b. 7 Sept., 1956. They had a dau. Marie Danielle b. 7 Oct., 1983 in Pomeroy, Pa.

S&R: Mildred D. John; Family Records and knowledge.

#408. Emily, d/o Edward and Maize (John) Smith (288), was b. 15 March. 1913 in Canton, Pa. in the Park Hotel. She m. Willard Sweeney 10 Nov., 1934 in the Presbyterian Parsonage of Canton. Willard, s/o George and Elizabeth (Peters) Sweeney, was b. 19 Dec., 1910. He was the Produce Manager of an A and P store and after retirement, worked part time as a bartender. They lived most of their married life in Canton and Emily, like her Mother, invested in quite a few properties there. Emily and Willard had 2 issue: Janice and Sharon (485).



EMILY (408)

JANICE b. 5 Nov., 1937 in Canton, Pa. She m. 11 Apr., 1962 to Miles Brown.



JANICE, EMILY & SHARON (485)



KATHRYN & GENE (409)
EMILY & WILLARD (408)

Two years later they divorced. NI. On 28 June, 1969 Janice m. Richard Hertel in Ralston, Pa. Richard, s/o Charles and Lottie (Ebersole) Hertel, was b. 26 Dec., 1930. He was a Surveyor for the State of Penna. and Janice worked as a secretary at their local school. NI

S&R: Emily Sweeney; Personal knowledge.

#409. Kathryn Rose, d/o Edward and Maize (John) Smith (288), was b. 22 Mar., 1920 in the Park Hotel in Canton, Pa. She m. Norman Day. They had 2 issue Edward F. and Dennis N. both b. Canton, Pa. Norman was later transferred to Plymouth Meeting, Pa. where they lived for a period of time until they divorced.

EDWARD FRANCIS b. 5 July, 1947. He m. 21 Aug., 1965 to Joan Hoffa. They had 2 issue: Lorne b. 28 Feb., 1966 and Robbie b. 16 Aug., 1968. Eddie is a mailman in Canton.



EDWARD & JOAN DAY (409)



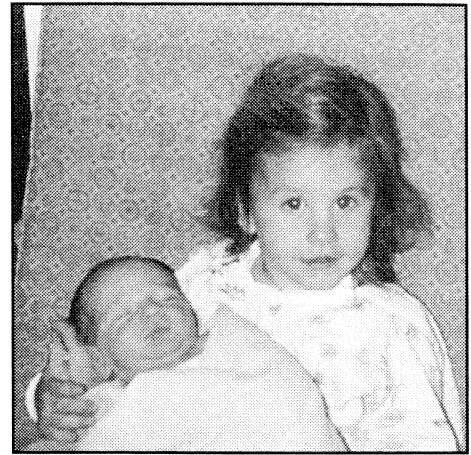
DENNIS & LYNDA DAY (409)



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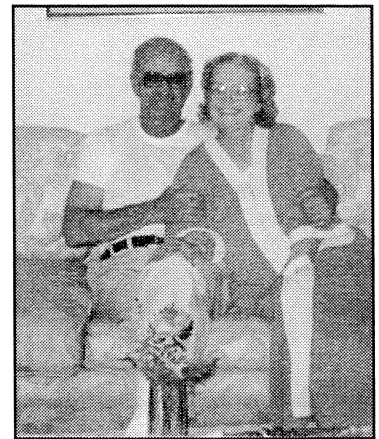
ELIZABETH & MICHAEL-
3 days old (409)

DENNIS NORMAN b. 12 Aug., 1949. After high school Dennis enlisted in the Air Force where he served 4 years. He then attended Shippensburg State College and was graduated with a BS in Business administration. He moved to Lancaster County and worked for the First Lady Garment Co. in Ephrata, later for Kellogg Co. Dennis m. 2 Aug., 1978 to Lynda Galaicone. They had met while in college. Lynda, d/o Joseph and Marie (Lombard) Galaicone, was b. 16 Nov., 1955. When they married Lynda said that there were three things she wanted: a new home, a dachshund, and a baby. They built a new house near Neffsville, and later a 2nd one near Landisville. Had a cute Dachshund named Daisy and they had 2 issue: Elizabeth b. 3 Dec., 1980 and Michael Dennis b. 23 Oct. 1982. Lynda teaches school. Dennis is built much like his grandfather and even looks a lot like him, but best of all, he is just as nice! After the divorce, Kathryn took the boys and moved back to Canton. After the boys were grown, Kathryn m. Gene Hilfiger. He was a construction worker and they lived in a mobile home near Jeanette, Pa. until Gene retired. Then they purchased a house in Troy, Pa. and did a bit of traveling. Gene had a stroke in 1993 and that has caused them to stay home, although Gene has improved. S&R: Kathryn Hilfiger; Dennis Day; Personal knowledge.

#410 E. Lorraine, d/o Jesse and Emma (Spur) John (289), was born 6 Oct., 1920 in Shamokin, Northumberland Co., Pa. The home was actually in Coal Township, but we always

LORRAINE JOHN in 1936
(410)

considered it to be Shamokin! Lorraine m Joseph J. Blell 7 Aug., 1943 and they had a dau. Janice. After the war and Joe had returned, he and Lorraine div. 24 Nov., 1946. On 29 June, 1947 Lorraine m. James Robt Jenkyns, b. 1917, s/o Thomas & Olive (Williams) Jenkyns. He had a service station. They had a son Thomas.

BOB & LORRAINE GROSS
(410)

Jim died after a lengthy illness. Lorraine m. Robert Gross, whose wife also died after a lengthy illness. Both took an early retirement (Lorraine was manager in a J.C. Penney Store and Bob worked for the Electric Co.) so they could enjoy life together. Both loved golf and played every chance the found. One day not too long after her retirement, Lorraine, while taking their golf cart back to the shed, was hit by an auto and thrown from the cart, although her shoes remained in the cart. She was in a very serious condition-she had suffered a fractured left arm, both legs broken (one leg had most of the bones broken), and a broken pelvis bone. She had something like 26 operations and had a heart failure during one of the operations. In 1991 she was in good condition, although she had to wear special shoes and her one leg is misshaped due to—the scarring. But she remained cheerful throughout the ordeal. For a time they were in Florida.

JANICE BLELL b. 27 May, 1944. She m. Jeffrey Spickler.

THOMAS JENKYNS b. 22 Feb., 1951 and m. Carol Susan Rusnock.

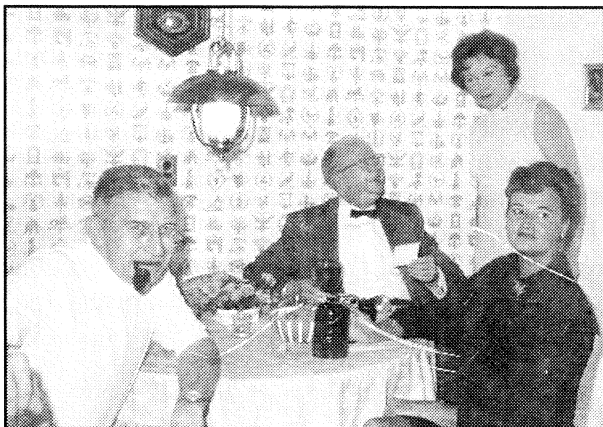
S&R: Lorraine Gross, Northumberland Co. Court House, Personal Knowledge



Lorraine Gross, of Trevorton, was injured when a golf cart she was riding was struck by a vehicle driven by Kenneth Allan Fegley, of 522 S. Seventh St. Shamokin.

The mishap occurred on Route T-485 near the Shamokin Valley Country Club. Mrs. Gross was coming out of a private drive at the country club with the golf cart

when it was struck by the automobile. She was admitted to the Geisinger Medical Center, Danville. (News-Item Photos by Harry J. Deitz, Sr.)



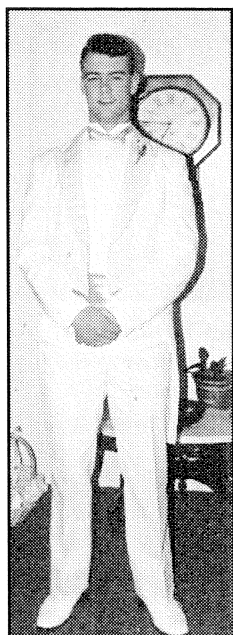
ELLIOT & HELEN (in White Tops) (411) WITH
ANDY YEVICH & MARION VROMAN (491)



HELEN & LARRY McRAE - 1982 (411)

#411. Helen Louise, d/o Ralston & Emma L. (Meyers) John (291), was b. 5 June, 1916 in Detroit, Michigan. Growing up, Helen was quite a gal! She was supposed to have pawned her dad's golf clubs in the winter, then redeemed them by pawning the ski equipment summers! At one time she took the part of Lady Godiva in a parade in Canada and even her parents did not know her. Helen m. Willis Edward Porter who was a Chemical Analyst (and Con artist, according to Helen). They had a son, Richard Allen. This marriage ended in divorce. She raised their son. She m. Elliot Franklin Oakwood 19 Aug., 1944. He was b. 5 Feb., 1911 in Brooklyn, N.Y. and died 5 Feb., 1971. His name had been Eickholtz, but was anglicized to Oakwood. Elliot was a Mechanical Engineer. They had 3 issue: Paul L., John C. and Nancy R.

RICHARD ALLEN PORTER b. 25 Jan., 1939. He served in the U.S. Army. He is a salesman for Office Equipment. Dick m. Mary Oschole in Florida and they had a dau. Kimberly Louise. They divorced. He m. Marjorie Kennedy 28 Dec., 1967-she was the d/o Frederick & Frances Kennedy of Canada. They adopted Scott Patrick Who was b. 14 Feb., 1972. They had a son Adam Robert b. 11 Jan., 1973. Marjorie and Dick divorced Nov., 1986. Dick m. Donna ??? in Nov., 1986 and lived Grand Blanc, Michigan.



ADAM (411)

PAULA LOUISE OAKWOOD b. 8 Nov., 1948. She has never married. Paula is an Engineer for Rockwell International.

JOHN CHRISTOPHER b. 20 Nov., 1955. He m. Barbara Brewer. She is the d/o Arthur & Mildred Brewer.

NANCY RUTH OAKWOOD b. 11 Dec., 1959. She m. Dean Feldt. They have a restaurant called "The Broiler Room" and is located south of Flint, Mich. Helen's son, Dick, introduced her to his good friend Larry McRae-they hit it off and were m. Oct., 1976. Larry was b. 25 April, 1925 in Canada. He was a widower and has issue living in Canada. Had been in the Canadian Navy Chief Petty Officer. Helen developed Lupis and she and Larry moved to Florida for her health. AT a later time a drug was found to help her and then they purchased a condominium in Mich. to live in in the summer, then they return to Florida for winters. Helen has managed to stay young in spirit and is always so much fun to be with. She and Larry have a good life together.

S&R: Helen McRae, Personal Knowledge



SHIRLEY - 1936 (412)

#412. Shirley Mae, d/o Hugh W. & S. Agnes (Derrick) John (193), was b. 21 Nov., 1920 in Shamokin (Coal Twp.), Pa. Shirley and her Mother were both members of the Jehovah's Witness. One year they attended a meeting or convention of their religion. While there Shirley met a fellow named Bill and they corresponded for about a year, then Shirley went to California and she and Bill m. 9 Dec., 1947. William Daily b. 6 Feb., 1913 in Plainview, Texas, s/o Fred & Mary (Dalton) Bill worked for Natalie Kalmus Color until Technic-Colore came in, then worked for them until he retired. They



SHIRLEY & BILL (412)

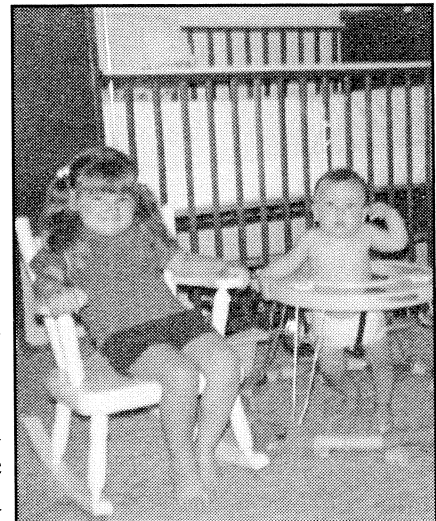
had 3 issue William, Jr., Glen A. & Robert D. The family lived in the southern part of Cal until 1974 when Bill retired. At that time they moved to Ken. where Bill, Jr. was living. Then, shortly before her Father died, they went to Shamokin & stayed there until the death of her Mother, then they returned to Ken. Later Shirley and Bill lived in a mobile house in Fla. until Bill's death 24 Oct., 1986. Shirley took a place of residence in Lake City, Fla.



B.: GLEN & JANICE
SHIRLEY & BILL
BOB & WANDA
F.: LONA & BILL, JR.
WITH AMY (412)

WILLIAM, JR. B. 9 Nov., 1948 in Shamokin, Pa. He is in Electronic Work. Bill m. 19 June, 1971 to Lona Cornellier, d/o Francois A. & Mary Louise (Scott) Cornellier. She was b. 26 Nov., 1954 in Burbank, Calif. They

live in Lexington, Ken. and have 2 issue: Amy Mae Tina b. 7 Sept., 1977 and Amber Mae b. 11 Nov. 1985. Both girls were b. in Cincinnati, Ohio.



AMY & AMBER (412)

GLEN ALLEN b. 5 Apr., 1950 in Hollywood, Calif. He. m. 1 May,

1971 to Janice Low. They divorced.

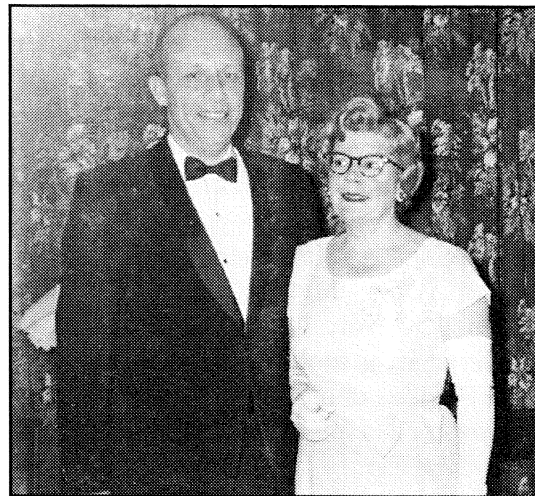
ROBERT DANE b. 12 Apr., 1953 in Gardner, Calif. He is a Janitor. Bob m. 12 Nov., 1977 to Wanda Jane Tew at the Kingdom Hall of the Jehovah's Witness in Rexburg, Idaho. Wanda, b. 15 Nov 1952 in Ashton, Idaho, the d/o Kenneth Alfred and Margaret Viola (Mower) Tew. They have a son Japhath b. 2 Nov., 1984. In the summer of 1950 Shirley and Bill flew east to visit and landed in Phila. This writer and husband were living in a small apartment at that time in Phila. Shirley's Mother came to meet to our place to meet them and all stayed the night. Gee, we had to tuck in where we could - put chairs together to form beds, young Bill slept in our Cynthia's crib and Cynthia and Glen slept in drawers. Win slept with a neighbor! It was fun we were young then and things like loss of sleep did not bother us then!

S&R: Shirley Daily, Uncle Hugh, Personal Knowledge

#413. Marijane Ann, d/o Bert W. & Mary (Delaney) John (292), was b. 29 Sept., 1921 in Hazleton, Pa. When I was about 8 months old my parents moved back to Shamokin as my



MARIJANE - 1939
(413)



WIN & JOHNNIE - 1969
(413)



JOHNNIE & WIN - 1946
(413)

maternal Grandmother had died and Mother was asked to keep house for my Grandfather. He walked with a limp due to a broken hip and so the town of Shamokin had one of their policeman (Mulvie Thomas) drive him wherever he wished to go in the sidecar of the motorcycle and I most always was with them. Each year when the Circus came to town I rode with Mr. Thomas when he led the parades. My Grandfather (Dada) had passes to two of the three movie house and he and I went to the movies each afternoon. And Mother's brother used to take me to the third movie house for it also had a vaudeville and that I loved. My uncle, crazy as it sounds, used to take me along on some of his dates and I can remember sitting on top of a piano while they danced. He had a light blue coupe with a rumble seat and oh, how my cousins and I loved riding in it! Then later one of Mother's sisters became a widow and moved home so my parents were free to go on alone. For a time we lived in Canton where my uncle had a hotel (during Prohibition).



WIN & JOHNNIE - 1989 (413)



CYNTHIA, KAREN & JOHN - 1959 (413)

We also lived for a short time in Newark, New Jersey, Scranton, and Phila. Then moved to Columbia, Pa. Weekends our family always went to visit relatives unless some of them were with us. I wanted to be a nurse, but learned quickly that I was too soft-hearted and cried and prayed for the sick rather than help them! During this period I was close friends with 11 girls and we called ourselves "The Gang". We are still friends to this day and those who remained in Columbia still have the same club we had started back about 1936! Through friends I met Win on the 1st of March, became

engaged on the 6th of June, and we were married on the 21th of December, all in 1946. We married in the Rectory of St. Peter's Catholic Church in Columbia. Winfield Kling Zerphey was b. 12 Oct., 1924 in Florin, Pa., the s/o Winfield Loraw & Dorothy(Kling) Zerphey. When Win was graduated from high school he had been awarded a scholarship to Elizabethtown College for baseball, but he enlisted in the Navy instead and became a Radioman in the Navy Air Corp stationed in the southern part of England. He flew 46 missions and their crew was credited with sinking a German Submarine. After the war, he managed to get into Elizabethtown College on the strength of the scholarship, but never went out for sports as we married during the Christmas season of his first year. Win finished the 4 years in 3 by going to summer school. His first position upon graduation was with the Food Fair in Phila. Later he applied for and Was accepted by RCA in Lancaster where he worked for 36 years and 1 day as a Production Analysis. We had 3 issue: Cynthia L., (486) Karen M.(487) and John D. (488). Somewhere during my teens I was called Johnnie and that name has stuck to this day!

We have enjoyed traveling and when the children left the nest, we took short trips. Then in 1987 we took a month in the United Kingdom. Later we took a trip around the United States, visiting 27 of them at that time. At other times we took in the rest of the 48 states, returning to the New England States each fall. In 1992 we returned to the United Kingdom again for a month-this time taking a few days in Paris. Win became a Catholic back in 1949. We have had a wonderful life together here in Lancaster in a lovely home we bought 40 years ago.

We belonged for a good many years to a formal dance club and enjoyed the dances and the company of friends. We played so much bridge and had and attended so many parties and dinners. It is a beautiful life. For ten years I was the Craft Consultant for the Brownie Troops in our Neighborhood.

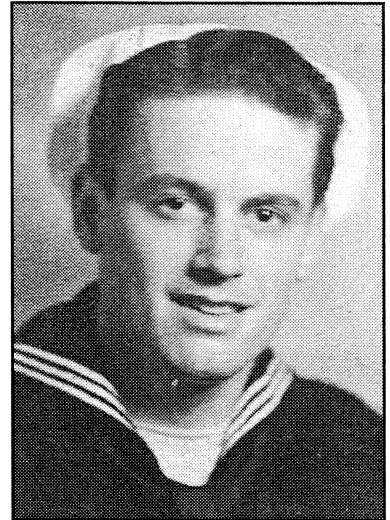
S&R: Personal Knowledge.

#414. Walton Hugh, s/o Bert W. & Mary (Delaney) John (292), was b. 10 April, 1925 in Danville, Pa. He was born in the Gessinger Hospital there. Walt was a thin little boy who loved



WALT-1928 (414)

to play with tin soldiers. He enlisted in the Navy in Dec., 1943 and was assigned to the USS Bunker Hill. After the war he stayed in the Navy for another hitch leaving the Navy in Dec. 1950. Walt m. Barbara Millard in Holy Trinity Church in Columbia 27 July, 1947. Barbara, the d/o Lyman Eber & Sophia Barbara (Ruddy) Millard, was b. in Fla. 10 May, 1927. Walt worked for the York Corp. in York, Pa. (makers of Air Conditioners) and Barbara was a Practical Nurse. They lived in a house on Union Street in Columbia that was supposed to have been one of the older buildings there-each of

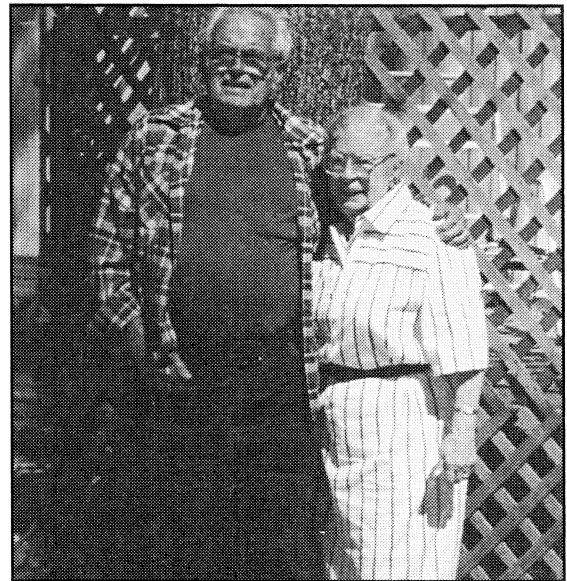


WALT - 1943 (414)

the bedrooms had an open fireplace. Later they bought the house that was our family home when we lived there. It is next to the American Legion.



BARBARA & WALT - 1985 (414)



WALT & JOHNNIE -1992 (414)

Years ago Walton H. John was given this advice by his father, "It's better to wear out than to rust out."

And he has been trying to do that ever since about six years ago, when he retired after a 14-year career in the air conditioning and refrigeration business, by volunteering his time whenever, and wherever, possible.

"In fact," said Walton, "I spend so much time volunteering my services that I wouldn't have the time to undertake a full time job anymore."

A few years ago he could be found just about anyplace in the community doing odd jobs, for example: painting the metal up-rights located at the entrances to the Locust Street Park.

Now he's maintaining the flags and lights at the "Returned Soldier" monument and at one time also kept the grass trimmed at that small triangular plot. This task now involves replacing flags when they are stolen or become too weather beaten to be flown in public and repairing the light which illuminates the monument at night.



photo by Robert G. Miller

Walton H. John, former commander of the Paul Revere Leber Post 372, American Legion, with a replica of a cannon which belonged to the now defunct Grand Army of the Republic, Post 118, which met in the Legion home.

Walt served as Commander of the Legion about 10 times and still helps where he can. He retired 1987, but the retirement was only from paying job!

They had 2 issue: Bert L. (489) and Barbara R. (490). Barbara and Walt own two mobile houses in Delaware near the Bay and spend a good bit of time in summer down there-both enjoy fishing.

S&R: Walton & Barbara; Personal Knowledge.

#415. Laura d/o Raymond C. & Mabel (Buddinger) Gable (293), was b. 21 Oct., 1914 in Germantown, Phila., Pa. She m. William Guthier 3 Oct., 1936. Bill, s/o Frank John and Mary Ellen Guthier was b. 16 Mar., 1915. He was Supt. of Septa in Phila. and they made their home in Hatboro, Pa. They had 3 issue: William, Jr. (491), Beverly J. (492), and Linda R. (493). Laura



BILL & LAURA GUTHIER (415)

and Bill had purchased a lot outside of Gouldsboro, Pa which is in the Poconos, and had a mobile house placed on the site. They later built a garage large enough to hold about 3 cars, but used the one part for an extra refrigerator and outdoor equipment. There is a complete second floor which is fitted with



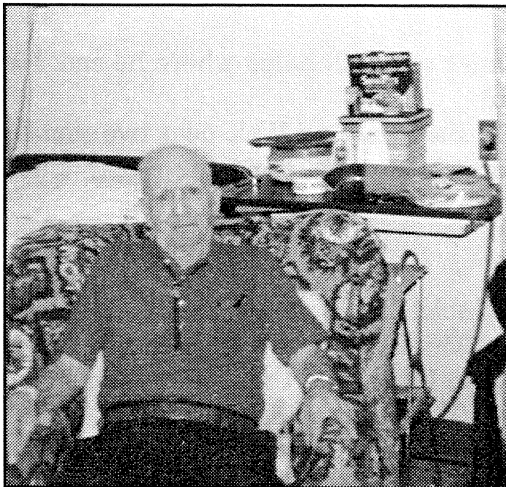
Back: BILL & LAURA, BILL JR. & MARIE, BEV.
& JACK, MARIE & RAY, LAURA & DAVE -
KELLY in front of LAURA
Front: BILLY, LAURA, RUSS (holding RHEA)
& LINDA, LYNN, LISA & DANNY
GUTHIER'S 50TH

bunk beds and all sorts of games-even a telephone connected to the house. Here all the grandchildren could play and sleep over on all the holidays, birthdays, and other special occasions that the family got together. After Bill retired, they moved up to the Poconos home.

It is a beautiful place to live and lovely to visit. They have so many birds and animals large and small and they feed them all! The bear come out of the forest and pound on the side of their home and Bill takes food out for them (he has even hand feed the bears!). This writer has seen as many as 12 deer feeding at the same time. They are two of the grandest people one could ever hope to meet -we exchange visits with them regularly. Bill, in Dec. of 1994 had pneumonia and the doctors found he has emphysema. Their children want them to leave their Pocono home and

move closer to at least one of them and to doctors.

S&R: Laura Guthier, Personal Knowledge.



GEROGE EYER (416)

#416. George, s/o Jesse I & Ada (Artz) Eyer (295), was b. 17 Oct., 1898 on Chestnut St. in Mount Carmel, Pa. and d. 1983 in Lock Haven Pa. George was in the US Navy assigned to a Mine Force laying mines in the North Sea. After the hitch in the Navy he worked for the NYC railroad for 6 years, then went into his father's shoe repair shop and worked there until 1969 when he had a stroke. George m. Catherine Stably 26 Aug., 1922. She was a widow with 2 children when they married. Catherine was b. 6 Feb., 1899 and d. 21 April, 1979. They had 5 issue: Doris, Ada, Thelma, Neal & Lee. When the children were grown and Catherine was not well George arranged for them to live in a Nursing Home in Lock Haven, which is not far from Jersey Shore, Pa. where they lived all of their married lives. After his wife died, George continued to live at the

nursing home. George had a marvelous memory and through his memory we found several family members.

(I) Doris b. 14 May, 1924. She m. Marvin Voorhees who is a Civil Eng. for the State of Arizona. They had 2 issue: Marvin, Jr. & Ann.

(II) Ada b. 29 Jan., 1928. She m. John Seacrist, s/o John and Edith (Moyer) Seacrist. John was b. 7 Dec., 1924 and d. 12 Jan., 1963. He owned and operated the Seacrist Bar and Grill. They had 2 issue:

Cynthia and Linda K.

(A) Cynthia b. 20 Apr., 1952 in Jersey Shore, Pa. She m. 6 June, 1970 to Kenneth Bryon who was b. 8 Nov., 1949 in Lock Haven, Pa. Ken is the d/o Kenneth & Lois (Heckman) Bryon. He works for Hammermill where they manufacture paper. Cindy and Ken have a son Chad Kenneth b. 5 Sept. 1972 in Williamsport, Pa. In 1980 they lived in Mackeyville, Pa.

(B) Linda Kay b. 12 Nov., 1953 in Jersey Shore. She had a son John Kenneth George Seacrist b. 18 Aug., 1979. She is now supposed to be m. to a Mr. Spangler. Ada m. Allan Schneck 7 June, 1969. They lived in Hershey, Pa. where he was a chef at the Hershey Convalescent Home.

(III) Thelma Marie. She m. William Ruben Krape. They had 2 issue: William Lee b. 20 Aug., 1953 and m. 21 Nov., 1973 to Gwendolyn Gail Geyer, and Sharon K. b. 26 May, 1959 and m. James Barry Bournier.

(IV) Neal. He m. Barbara ??? and they had 2 issues Michael and David.

(V) Lee b. 27 Feb., 1936 in Jersey Shore. He is a Computer Operator. Lee m. 4 Aug., 1962 to Mary Kreischbaum who was b. 7 Nov., 1934. They have 1 issue: Steven b. 22 Aug., 1963.

S&R: George Eyer; Cindy Bryon; Lee Eyer; Lycoming Co. Court House Records.

#417. Katherine, d/o Jesse I. & Ada (Artz) Eyer (295), was b. 18 Dec., 1899 in Mt. Carmel, Pa. Katie, as she is called, was a graduate of Albright College in 1921. She m. Hobson Wagner 19 Aug., 1924. "Hob", s/o Irwin Daniel and Emily (Himmelberger) Wagner, was b. 11 Jan., 1899 in Jonestown, Pa. and d. 2 July, 1952. Buried Great Valley Cemetery, Paoli, Pa. Hob was a 1922 graduate of Albright College. From 1922-1926 he was a teacher & Athlete Coach in Towanda, Pa.-from 1926-1934 he was Supt. Prin. of Towanda Schools. From 1934-1941 he was Supt. of School in Hollidaysburg, Pa., Tredyffrin Easttown Twp. School and Berwyn, Pa. School until 1952. They lived in Paoli at the time of Hob's death. They had 3 issue: Daniel H., Mary A., & Nancy E.

DANIEL HOBSON b. 24 Aug., 1925 in Jersey Shore, Pa. He was a graduate from Haverford College in 1947. Got a PhD from Brown University in 1951. Daniel m. Mary Emma Mertz 10 Sept., 1949. Mary was graduated from Mount Holyoke College in 1948 and got her PhD from Bryn Mawr in 1972. They had 4 issue: David H., Christopher D., Thomas J., & Elizabeth A.

(I) David Hobson b. 13 Nov., 1952 in Washington, D.C. He was graduated from Union College-Schenectady, N.Y. 1976 and earned his PhD 1980 at the U. of Mich. Dave m. Jeanette Chandler 11 June, 1977. Jeanette was b. 6 Apr., 1951

(II) Christopher Daniel b. 4 Nov., 1954 in Washington, D.C. He was graduated from New England College. He m. 21 Oct., 1978 to Dorothy Daugherty who was b. 7 Jan., 1956.

(III) Thomas John b. 26 Mar., 1956 in Bryn Mawr. He was graduated from F.&M. in 1978 and the U. of Oklahoma Law School in 1981.

(IV) Elizabeth Ann b. 1 Apr. 1959 in Bryn Mawr. In 1981 she was graduated from Mount Holyoke College.

MARY ALICE b. 23 Nov., 1926 in Sayre, Pa. She was a 1948 graduate of Mount Holyoke College. She m. 20 May, 1950 to William Richard Gordon who was b. 17 Nov., 1913 in Philadelphia, Pa. Bill graduated from the U. Of Pa. They had 4 issue, all born Bryn Mawr. Ann M., William M., Robert D., and Douglas A.

- (I) Anne Morrison b. 6 May, 1951. Graduate of U. of Pa.
- (II) William Murray b. 4 Mar., 1953. Graduate of Temple University.
- (III) Robert Duff b. 15 June, 1955. Graduate of U. of Pa.
- (IV) Douglas Andrew b. 5 Mar., 1958.

NANCY EYER b. 18 Nov., 1929 in Sayre, Pa. Nancy was a 1951 graduate of Mount Holyoke College. She m. 22 June, 1951 to Charles Evans Pusey Jr. who was b. 18 Apr., 1929 Charles was graduated from William College in 1951. They had 3 issue, all born in Bryn Mawr: Kathryn E., Jane D., and Hobson C.

(I) Kathryn Eyer b. 16 Aug., 1953. She was graduated from Wesley College 1973. Kathryn m. Sept., 1974 to Edward Artzerounian, Jr. He was b. 15 June, 1951. They had 2 issue, both born Bryn Mawr: Edward III b. 25 Apr., 1976 and Kimberly b. 10 Aug., 1977.

(II) Jane Downing b. 24 Nov., 1954. She m. 13 Oct., 1979 to David Mielcary who was b. 23 Apr., 1955 in Salem, Massachusetts.

(III) Hobson Charles b. 27 Oct., 1957. Hobson was graduated from Wooster College in 1980. Nancy was the one who had sent me a copy of some of the pages from her husband, Charles' Pusey Family Genealogy in which Queen Matilda and family was traced back to Julius Caesar it started this writer on the same successful search. After Hob died Katie lived in Paoli until 1978 then she moved to an apartment in Newton Square, Pa.

S&R: Katherine Wagner.

#418. Alice Gertrude d/o Jess I & Ada (Artz) Eyer (295), was b. 1 Aug., 1903 in Jersey Shore, Pa. Alice was a Registered Nurse, having graduated from the Lock Haven, Pa Hospital in 1925. She m. 8 Nov., 1927 to Ralph G. White, the s/o Ferdinand Lee and Caroline(Greiner) White. Ralph was b. 23 Aug., 1903 in Pittsburgh, Pa. and d. 16 Jan. 1956 in South Greensburg, Pa. He was a Minister in the Methodist Church, having received his education at the U. of Pittsburgh



and Western Theological Seminary. He served in Pittsburgh, Glenfield, and Dravosburg. They had 1 issue: Alice R.

ALICE RUTH b. 13 Nov., 1929 in Pittsburgh, Pa. She m. 28 June, 1952 to Frank Wilson Kiel, s/o Frederick and Thelma G. (Wilson) Kiel. Frank was b. 3 Feb., 1930 in Altoona, Pa. He is a Medical Doctor. They had 3 issue: Jeffrey, David, and Douglas.

(I) Jeffrey b. 8 Jan. 1955 in Honolulu. He m. 1 Oct., 1977 to Josette Durling who was b. 1 Jan., 1956.

(II) David b. 3 May, 1956 in San Antonio, Texas. He m. Simone Frey.

BACK: DAVID & SIMONE, JEFF & JOSETTE, ALICE G., & DOUG. Front: FRANK & ALICE R.

(III) Douglas b. 16 Sept., 1959 in San Antonio. The family lived in Houston, Texas.

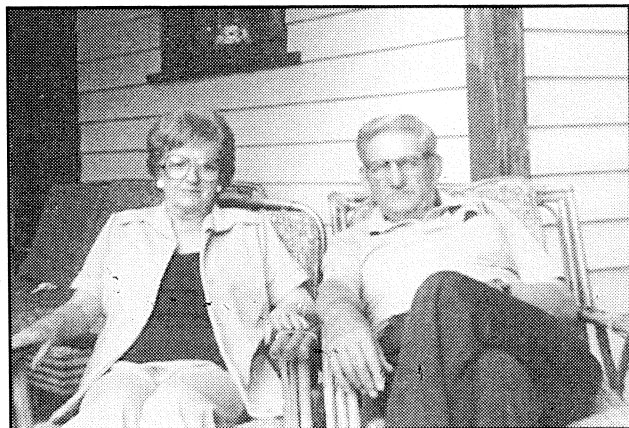
This writer had written to Alice White and Frank answered and he is the one who kept up all correspondence and sent the pictures of the Eyer family. He stated that his Mother-in-law lived with them and he handled all family affairs. The last letter received from him was from Saudi Arabia where he said he was working in a hospital there-he made no mention of his wife or children as to whether she was with him or not.

S&R: George Eyer; Frank Kiel.

#419. Helma, d/o Otto & Carrie (Eyer) Trager (298), was b. 22 Oct., 1909 in Scranton, Pa. and d. there 12 Mar., 1982. She m. 30 June, 1929 to Alexander Joseph Kornish in the Sacred Heart of Jesus & Mary Church in Scranton. Alex, s/o Victor & Eva Kornish, was b. 1 Dec., 1905 in Vandling, Pa. He was in State Employment Service. They had 4 issue: Wilbur, Sandra, Alan, and Timothy.

WILBUR b. 20 Jan., 1931. He served 2 years in the US Navy. "Wil" m. 31 Dec., 1953 to Lois Leidinger. Lois, d/o Matthew Joseph & Kathern Alice (Honeywell) Leidinger, was b. 1 Aug., 1932 in Scranton. Wil is in the Printing Business in Los Angeles, Calif. They had 7 issue: Debbie, Matthew, David, Patrick, Mark, Lisa, and Thad.

(I) Debbie b. 29 Aug., 1954 in Scranton and m. 7 Feb., 1969 to Albert Morin who was b. Boston, Mass. They m. in L.A. He is a plumber. They have 3 issue: Jeremy b. Southfield Mich. 20 May, 1970, Jerrod b. 30 Aug., 1976 in Burbank, Calif. and Justin b. 11 Sept. 1980 in Burbank. They live in Sun Valley, Calif.



HELMA & ALEX-1979 (419)

(II) Matthew b. 20 Jan., 1956 in Kearney, New Jersey and m. 6 Feb., 1976 to Kelly Sullivan in L.A. Kelly was b. Aug., 1959 in Phoenix, Ariz. They have a son Joseph Matthew b. Burbank 23 Apr., 1978.

(III) David b. 13 Apr., 1957 in Scranton.

(IV) Patrick b. 12 Aug., 1958 in Tampa, Fla.

(V) Mark b. 18 May, 1961 in Scranton.

(VI) Lisa b. 21 Sept., 1963 in Scranton.

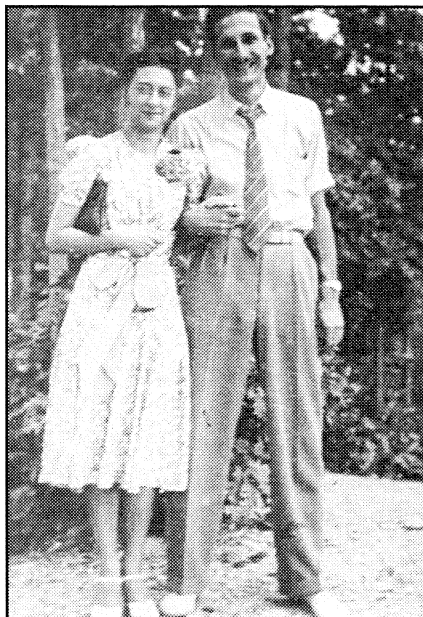
(VII) Thad b. 19 June, 1970 in Southfield, Mich.

SANDRA b. 20 Nov., 1935 and d. 1937.

ALAN b. 28 Sept., 1938 in Scranton. He owns a Radio Station WPOM in West Palm Beach, Fla. and an Employment Office "Key System" in Kingston, Pa. He m. 30 July, 1962 to Marie Pocancci. They had a son Mark b. 13 Jan. 1960

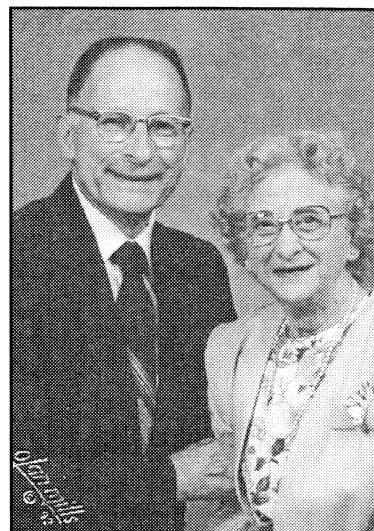
TIMOTHY b. 15 Mar., 1940 in Scranton. He works for the Dept. of Transportation. Tim m. Julie and they had 3 issue: Sandra b. 30 June, 1962, Patty b. 12 July, 1960, and Jacqueline b. 25 Oct., 1965-all born in Scranton. In 1970 Tim and Julie divorced and he moved in with his parents. In 1981 his youngest daughter wanted to live with him so he took an apartment for them.

S&R: Helma Kornish; Wilbur Kornish.



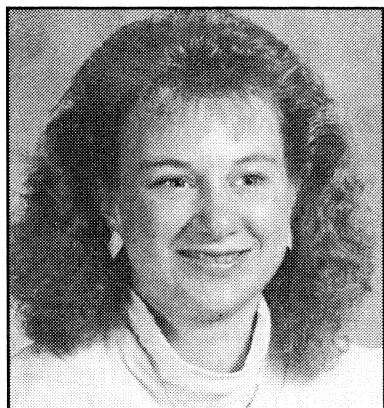
GERT & BARR-1940 (420)

#420. Gertruda G. d/o Lionel J. & Jennie T. (Gundry) Levy (301), was b. 1 June, 1917 in Scranton, Pa. She m. Elwood B. Barr 22 July, 1939. Barr, as we I call him, was b. 15 June, 1916 in Lancaster, Pa. They had 2 issue: Clifford A. & Audrey A., Gert and Barr lived in Elizabethtown, Pa. until the end of 1994 when they moved to a house in Mount Joy which was heated by electric system which was better for them as Barr has Arthritis, and minds the cold.

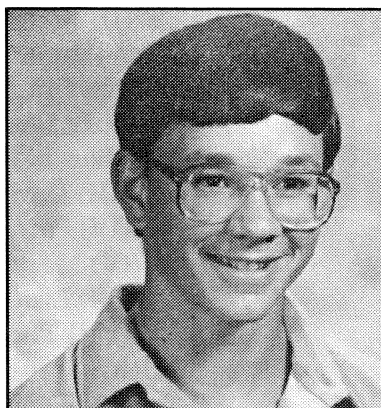


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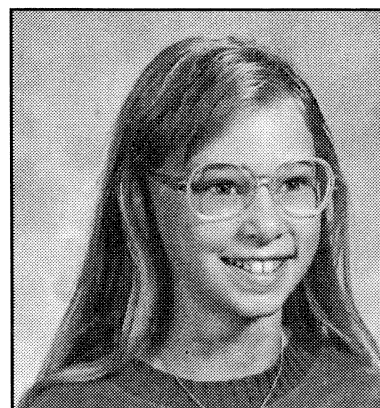
This writer owes a special thanks to Gert for remembering a visit her family made to an Eyer family when she was a young girl-this lead me to Jersey Shore, Pa. which opened up the Eyer family.



STEPHANIE (420)

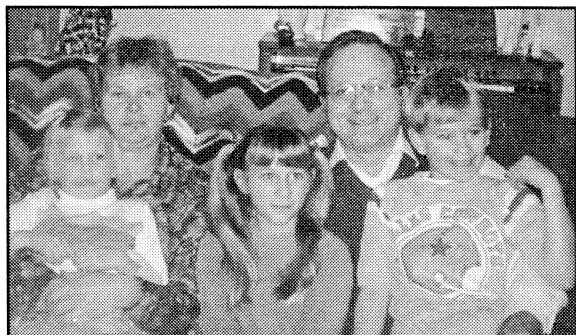


SCOTT (420)



JENNIFER (420)

CLIFFORD ALLEN b. 29 Sept., 1943. He was a cute little fellow. Clifford m. 4 Aug., 1968 to Sandra Jean Fauns who was b. 9 May, 1950 in Elizabethtown. They have 3 issue: Stephanie Ann b. 20 Jan., 1975, Scott Michael b. 17 Feb., 1977, and Jennifer Lynn b. 25 Dec., 1979-quite a Christmas gift! Clifford looks so much like his Uncle Leon who was a prince.



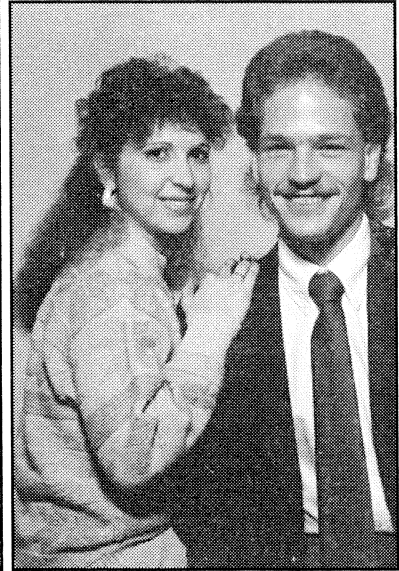
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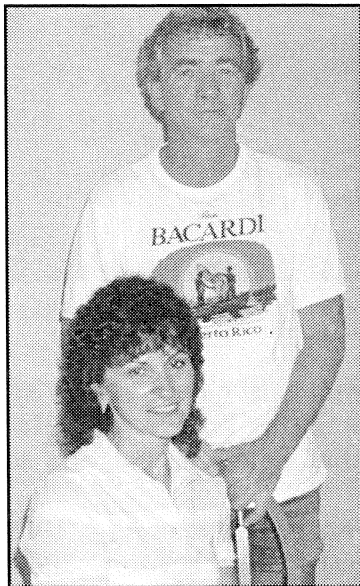
TRACY & ROBERT (420)



TAMMY & WILLIAM (420)



KAREN & ??? (420)



AUDREY & DAVID (420)



JUSTINA,
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AUDREY ANN b. 2 June, 1947. She m. 15 Feb., 1964 to Kenneth F. Lupold who was b. 21 Nov., 1940 in Shamokin, Pa. They had 3 issue: Tracy A., Tammy L., & Karen S. In 1980 Audrey and Ken divorced. Audrey m. David McLain in 1981 and they have a home in Mountville, Pa. Dave and Audrey are very good to Gert and Barr and take them on vacations to distant parts.

(I) Tracy Ann b. 26 Aug., 1964 in Lancaster. She m. 29 Sept., 1984 to Robert Reidenbaugh. They have 2 issue: Sean b. 1989 and Kristi Ann b. 15 Oct., 1993.

(II) Tammy Lynn b. 2 July, 1966 in Willow Street, Pa. She had a dau. Justina. Tammy m. William Rightnour 13 Apr., 1991. Bill adopted Justina and they had a dau. Brandelyn Sue b. 26 Dec., 1991.

(III) Karen Sue b. 9 Jan., 1968. She is still single in 1995. The fellow in the picture with her above is an ex-boy friends

S&R: Gertrude Barr.

#421. Reina, d/o Lional J. & Jennie T. (Gundry) Levy (301), was b. 7 June, 1920 in Scranton, Pa. Reina was always so pretty and I loved the way she could raise one highbrow when she was surprised! She m. Richard Leon Rights who was b. 22 May, 1916 in Elizabethtown, Pa. They had a son, Richard L. Jr. Dick Sr. was killed at Iwo Jima 8 Mar., 1945. Reina and son lived with her parents for a time, then when her Dad died she and her Mother had an apartment together Cleona, Pa. She met and m. Patrick A. Murray 2 Sept., 1951. Pat was b. 11 Oct., 1923 in Gary, Indiana. He was in the service, US Army when they met.



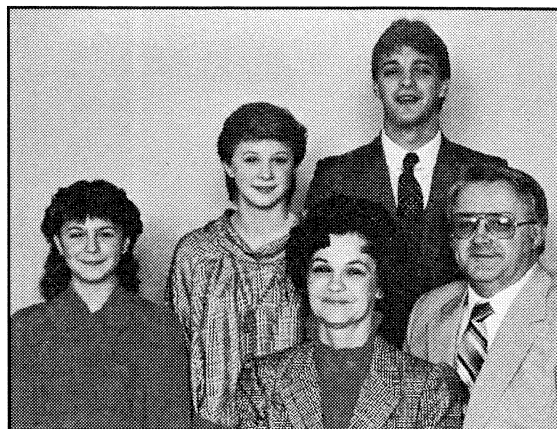
PAT & REINA (421)

They had a dau. Patricia A. They made their home in Lebanon, Pa. for a time, then later moved to Harrisburg, Pa. Pat had a bad heart and Reina developed Emphysema and Diabetes, so they lived in a nursing home in Harrisburg until Pat died in 1993. Reina, in 1995, was in a home in Middletown, Pa. She uses oxygen all times and still has trouble breathing. She always looks lovely and spends her time reading. Her sister, Gert, keeps her supplied in books. This writer was told that daughter Patty is so wonderful to her Mother.

RICHARD LEON RIGHTS, JR. b. 28 Sept., 1938 in Elizabethtown, Pa. He m. 2 Aug., 1958 to Janice Ethel Shearer who was b. 9 Aug., 1939. They had 4 issue: Scott Michael b. 7 Aug., 1961, Jeffrey Allen b. 22 Oct., 1962, Beth Ann b. 10 Dec., 1968, and Sheri Lynn b. 11 Apr., 1973.

PATRICIA ANN MURRAY b. 15 June, 1952. She m. 29 June, 1969 to David Miller and they had a dau. Michelle Reina b. 30 Oct., 1970. Patty and David divorced. Patty had a dau. Amy Ann b. 29 Oct., 1974. She m. William Madeira 24 Sept., 1976, but this marriage also ended in div. Patty is a waitress. She is not at all well, suffering from severe Arthritis. In 1995 the girls were grown and one lived and worked out of state and the other was in training to become a nurse.

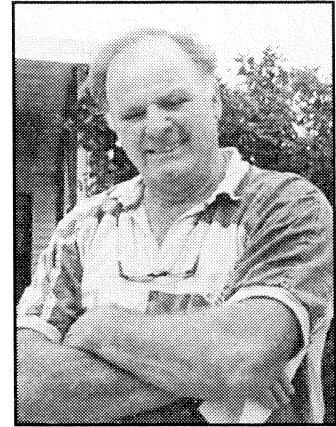
S&R: Gertrude Barr; Reina Murray; Personal Knowledge.

SHERI, BETH & SCOTT, JANICE & DICK
(421)

AMY, PATTY & MICHELLE (421)



BACK: REINA & HARRY CHRISTENSEN (424),
GERTRUDE HAMM (303), MR & MRS. RUTH (?),
WILLIAM RUTH (302), JENNIE LEVY (301), BEN &
WENONA WITH HERBERT (422) FRONT: SMEDLEY
RUTH (425), DOROTHY DAVIS (303), MARY RUTH
(302), ANNA & BILL GUNDY (303), RENIA WEISS
(422) & LEON LEVY (301)-1934



HERB WEISS-1992 (422)

#422. Wenona, d/o William & Mary B. (Gundry) Ruth (302), was b. 13 March, 1908 in Philadelphia and d. 30 July, 1974. She m. Ben Weiss 9 Aug., 1926. They had 2 issue: Reina & Herbert. Wenona and Ben divorced Aug., 1947 Wenona m. 30 Sept., 19 to William O'Brian who must have been a super person for all spoke so highly of him! When Wenona died, Bill O'Brian

decided to move to Florida and Herbert moved down with him. Bill was b. 8 Sept., 1907 and d. 1990.

REINA b. 9 Sept., 1927. "Gee Gee", as she was called d. of cancer in June, 1991. She m. 14 Apr., 1956 to Clifford Christensen. They had 2 issue: William b. 20 Apr., 1957 and m. 16 June, 1979 to Sherry Cronk, and Gerald b. 20 Apr., 1964.

HERBERT b. 7 Mar., 1932. "Sonny" as he was called was in the USCoast Guards-an Airborne Radioman and participated in several rescues at sea. He m. 14 Sept., 1957 to Madeline McDade who was b. 3 July, 1936. They lived in Florida and had 4 issue: Lynda, John, Patricia, & Kenneth Herb and Madeline divorced. This writer was told that Herb hated his name and when he moved to Florida with his step-father, he joined his church and became Robert, but I have no proof of this. He has a nice house in Venice, Fla.

(I) Lynda b. 2 July, 1958.

(II) John Curtis b. 23 Mar., 1960. He m. Brenda Conklin 14 Mar., 1981 Brenda was b. 8 June, 1964 in Ridgwood, N.J., d/o George Lee & Jean Conklin. They have 4 issue: Crystal Ann b. 28 Jan., 1982, John Curtis, J b. 17 May, 1988, Kenneth Richard b. 10 Apr., 1989, and Dana Elizabeth b. 24 Mar., 1990.

(III) Patricia b. 23 June, 1961 - married & has a daughter.

(IV) Kenneth b. 16 July, 1965.

S&R: Smedly Ruth; Sonny Weiss; Brenda Weiss.

SOUTH PACIFIC FORCE
OF THE UNITED STATES PACIFIC FLEET
HEADQUARTERS OF THE COMMANDER

In the name of the President of the United States,
the Commander South Pacific Area and South Pacific Force,
takes pleasure in presenting the SILVER STAR MEDAL to

PLATOON SERGEANT JOHN GAUNDRY RUTH (221276), UNITED
STATES MARINE CORPS

for service as set forth in the following

CITATION:

"For distinguished service in action against the enemy in the Tenaru sector, Guadalcanal on the early morning of August 21, 1942. When his platoon was enfiladed by enemy machine gun fire and while his position was under heavy and devastating fire of a strong attacking enemy landing force, RUTH with conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity manned an abandoned light machine gun and by accurate fire silenced the enemy machine gun. With utter disregard for his own personal safety he brilliantly assisted in clearing his sector of the enemy. Although stunned momentarily by an enemy bullet hitting on his helmet, he continued his devastating fire against the enemy. Later he administered first aid to a wounded comrade until medical attention could be given. Largely as a result of his efforts the enemy attackers in his sector were successfully repelled."



JOHN RUTH (423)

W. F. Halsey
W. F. HALSEY,
Admiral, U. S. Navy.

#423. John, s/o William & Mary B. (Gundry) Ruth (302), was b. 5 Dec., 1911 in Philadelphia, Pa. He d. 13 Oct., 1979 in Calif. John m. Phyllis Lane and they had a dau. Johanna. They later divorced. John joined the Marines in 1929 and served in the Niceraqua Rebellion and at one time was the youngest member of Foreign Wars. In 1932 he was the middleweight boxing champion of the East Coast Marines. During his reenlistment he served as Drill Instructor at Marine Corp. Base at Parris Island and Quantico, Va. and was an instructor to Naval Reservists aboard the USS Wyoming.

During WWII he was wounded at Guadalcanal and earned the Purple Heart. Later John worked in Hollywood at a movie studio as a sound man and a stunt man in pictures. His brother, Smedley has snaps of John with some of the leading movie stars of that time.

JOHANNA b. 11 June, 1942. She m. Paul Lozano and they had 3 issue: Paul, Jr. b. 22 July, 1961, Dimitri b. 26 Dec., 1963, and Brigh b. 8 June, 1966. All born in Calif. Johanna and Paul are now divorced. When John was ill and dying, his brother, Smedley, and his brother-in-law, Harry, flew to Calif. to be with him until the end; however both had to return to work and could not stay for the funeral.

#424. Reina, d/o William & Mary B.(Gundry) Ruth (302), was b. 12 Nov., 1914. She d. 24 Mar., 1980 of cancer. Reina m. Harry Christensen 20 Nov. 1933. Harry was b. 31 July, 1908. They lived in West Brandywine Twp., Chester Co., Pa. and were members of the United Methodist Church of Downingtown. They had 1 issue: Wenona.



CHRIS & ANNE (424)

WENONA b. 28 Sept., 1936. She m. 7 Sept., 1957 to Raymond A. Paul who was b. 12 Aug., 1930. They had 4 issue: Chris A., Eric, Scott, and Dana R.

(I) Chris Arthur b. 14 June, 1958 in Coatesville, Pa. He m. 11 Sept., 1982 to Anne M. Dowlin. They had 3 issues Colin Dowlin and Ryan Christensen, twins b. 16 Aug., 1987, and Patrick Ian b. 16 May, 1991. Chris was graduated 1980 from Dickinson College with a degree in international study and history. He then served as a 2nd Lt. in the US Army. By 1982 he had completed his second year as a law student at the College of William & Mary in Williamsburg, Va. Anne was graduated summa cum laude from Dickinson.

(II) Eric b. 21 June, 1960 in Coatesville. He m. 28 May, 1983 to Kimberly Jean Patton.

'Hollering Helps', Marine From Guadalcanal Claims

"When you're in the thick of battle you holler and scream at the top of your voice, and you find it gives you strength.

"Then you start trying to play 'Halls of Montezuma' with bursts of your machine gun. You hear other guns take up the rhythm up and down the line.

"You know you're not alone then, and that other Marines are with you. You steady down, and the fight goes on."

That's a sidelight on the Guadalcanal fighting narrated in San Francisco yesterday by Platoon Sergeant John G. Ruth, 30, USMC, originally from Philadelphia where his mother, Mrs. Mary Ruth lives at 4809 Trinity Place.

He is now recovering at a naval

hospital. His wife, the former Phyllis Lane of Detroit is living at 126 Greenfield Avenue, Vallejo, with their daughter, Johanna, 7 months old.

Platoon Sergeant Ruth brought a real Marine background to the Guadalcanal campaign. He had served in the Corps from 1929 to 1934, and re-enlisted in 1938.

In 1932 he was middleweight boxing champion of the East Coast Marines. During his enlistments he served as Drill Instructor at the Marine Corps base at Parris Island and at Quantico, Virginia, and as an instructor to Naval Reservists aboard the USS Wyoming.

Marine Corps tradition runs high in the Ruth family, for the Sergeant's younger brother, 11, is named Smedley Darlington Butler Ruth for one of the Corps' best remembered heroes.

Platoon Sergeant Ruth was with the second wave of Marines to hit Guadalcanal Beach, August 7th, last. His toughest fighting, he says, came during the bloody action at Tenaru River. As he describes it:

"We were called out at 4 a. m. I inspected my men and we moved out.

"After I got my men deployed along the line, another fellow and I manned a machine gun. We were given credit later for knocking out more than 30 Japs and four machine gun nests.

"At one time a Jap shot glanced off my helmet, folding part of it like an accordion and knocking me down, but I wasn't hurt. My partner, however, got a bad wound and I fixed a tourniquet on him with a vine. I kept having to crawl to him to administer aid and then dash back to the gun when the Japs advanced.

"I finally spotted the machine gun nest that was trained on our position, and saw them all set to shoot. I got them with a grenade.

"The fighting went on until late evening, and was about the toughest continuing action you'd ever want to see."

They had 2 issue: Kelsey Elizabeth b. Apr., 1988 and Megan.

(III) Scott b. 27 June, 1963. He m. 27 July, 1985 to Sharon Marie Mowery. They have a son Tyler b. Jan. 1994.

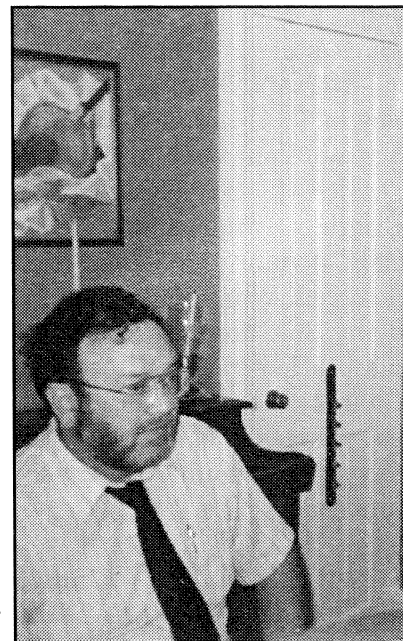
(IV) Dana Reina b. 23 Mar., 1968 and m. 19 June, 1995 to Theodore Carl Swimmer. They live in New York City. This writer always found it confusing - Reina Gundry Christensen's niece, Reina Weiss married her Uncle Harry's brother Clifford!

S&R: Smedley Ruth; Wedding Announcements: Obits.



SMED & ROSE (425)

#425. Smedley Butler Darlington, s/o William & Mary B. (Gundry) Ruth (302), was b. 3 Feb., 1931. It seems that Smed was a bit of a surprise to his folks! He arrived 18 years after his sister. When Smed was 12 his Mother died & his Dad left him. His sister, Reina & her husband, Harry welcomed him into their home & were very good to him. This writer can remember hearing the family speak of Smed's being so



SMED (425)

very bright-Smed today smiles and denies it! He m. 4 Sept., 1951 to Rose Molina who was b. 27 Jan., 1927. Smed has a business called "Unique Concepts" and they have a lovely home in Springfield, Pa. Rose and Smed had 3 issue: David, Robert, & Scott.

DAVID b. 17 Nov., 1956. He is in advertising and is doing very well in that field. He is responsible for the Roy Rogers "Save-Up" Cups. While living and working in Fla. he came up with the slogan for Florida. and has won numerous local & national ADDY Awards for his work. A few years ago he moved from Coconut Grove Fla. to an advertising agency in NYC.

ROBERT b. 27 Dec., 1958. He works in the Crozen Hospital in Chester, Pa.

SCOTT b. 1 Nov., 1960. He is a Chiropractor. He m. Apr., 1986 to Kimberly Worthington. They live in Newtown, Pa. and have 2 issue: Terrance Simon b. 20 May, 1985, and Merissa Lee b. 7 Oct., 1988.

S&R: Smedley Ruth

GRIFFITH JOHN: His Ancestors and Descendants

A Quaker Family of Uwchlan Township, Chester County, Pennsylvania

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